

Hot Breakfasts Offered At 3 Morgan Schools

For some months now, three Morgan County schools have been providing students with hot breakfasts each morning under the national school breakfast program.

Wrigley School was the first to adopt the program and has been serving breakfast to around 65 percent of the school's enrollment since last November 3.

Since that time, Cannel City and Ezel Schools also have adopted the program which is similar to the more widely-known national school hot lunch program.

According to Glen Whitt, principal at Wrigley School, the program has been well received by students and parents alike.

Said Mr. Whitt, "We've had more favorable comments on this program than on any other innovation at the school."

Student Pays 5 Cents

Mr. Whitt believes the popularity of the program is due in part to its low cost per pupil. The cost per breakfast for each student is 5 cents.

This means that at Wrigley, Cannel City and Ezel Schools students are assured of two hot meals a day at a cost of 25 cents per pupil. (Hot lunches cost 20 cents per pupil).

Though students who cannot afford to pay this amount are not turned away, the programs are operated at virtually no cost to the local schools where a large percentage of the enrollment participate, Mr. Whitt said.

Cost of buying and preparing the food is borne in part by the



Dana Kidd, fourth grader at Wrigley School, heads for a table to eat a hot breakfast of hotcakes, butter, syrup, sausage, juice, and milk provided by the national school breakfast program adopted last November at the school. Miss Kay Keeton, at right rear, a member of the Neighborhood Youth Corp and director of the breakfast program at Wrigley School, plans menus, cooks breakfasts, and takes care of the bookwork.

Kentucky Department of Education's Division of School Lunch with the remainder coming from students' 5 cent fees. And the larger the percentage of students participating in the programs, the larger the amount of funds received from the State, Whitt said.

It costs about 20 cents to buy food and prepare a typical breakfast. Fifteen cents of this amount is reimbursed by the state to the school. The 15 cent reimbursement is paid for each meal served, even if some students cannot afford to pay.

In addition, USDA surplus foods, such as juices, cereals, flour, etc. are provided to schools participating in the program which further minim-

izes the cost.

Records show that Kentucky schools participating in the breakfast program actually spend an average of only 13 cents for a typical breakfast, and this has included the cost of milk.

Plenty of Money Available

According to the Division of School Lunch, plenty of money for school breakfasts is available and "is not apt to run out."

A typical breakfast consists of bacon and eggs, orange juice, toast and butter, jelly, and milk.

Another reason for the breakfast program's popularity stems from the early school bus runs for students who attend ele-



Students at Wrigley School dig in shortly after the breakfast line opens at 7:15 a.m. They are Randy Wilson, Rennie Adkins, Phillip Whitt, Ricky Adkins, Pam Davis, and Rhonda Howard. About 65 percent of the student enrollment at Wrigley School participate in the breakfast program. Cost to the student is five cents per breakfast. The program also is in operation at Cannel City and Ezel Schools.

mentary centers in rural areas. Mothers find it inconvenient to prepare breakfasts for children in time for them to catch an early bus.

At Wrigley, for instance, school buses begin their runs at 6 a.m. By 7:30 all students have been delivered to the school so that buses can transport high school students on to West Liberty by 8 a.m.

A survey conducted by Mr. Whitt revealed that 40 percent of the students at Wrigley School did not eat breakfast before the new program was started.

"In most cases not because breakfast was unavailable, but because they just didn't feel like eating that early or didn't

have time," Mr. Whitt said.

A recent survey shows that 65 percent of the students at Wrigley are now participating in the hot breakfast program and that most of the remaining 35 percent eat breakfast at home.

Teachers, too, are happy with the breakfast program.

According to Mr. Whitt, attendance has increased at Wrigley since the program was initiated. Teachers say some pupils, particularly those from poorer homes, have shown more desire to achieve since the program was started.

Better pupil attitude toward school, classmates, and teachers also has been noted.

DONATIONS FOR HOSPITAL FUND REACH \$45,939

As of Monday evening, donations for the Morgan County Hospital Fund totaled \$45,939.58, according to Mrs. C. K. Stacy, treasurer of the hospital finance committee.

From this amount approximately \$26,000 has been utilized to purchase the hospital site on Wells Hill and the site has been deeded to Morgan County and the Morgan County Fiscal Court.

Of the remainder, a total of \$456.05 went to pay the administrator employed by the county hospital board last summer to shepherd the board's proposals through state and federal channels.

Donations continue to come in daily, Mrs. Stacy reported, and the drive is expected to continue throughout the summer to raise additional funds needed for initial operation expenses once the hospital is completed.

EAST KENTUCKY COMMITTEE FOR COMBS IS FORMED

A group of 70 persons who want former Democratic Gov. Bert Combs to run again for governor has named Dr. Alec Spencer of West Liberty as chairman of a committee to arrange a meeting in which Combs would address the group.

Democratic party leaders representing 14 Eastern Kentucky counties met at Morehead Friday to arrange the meeting for after June 5 — when Combs is expected to leave his seat on the U.S. 6th District Court of Appeals at Cincinnati.

Combs is generally acknowledged to have strong grass-roots support among many state Democrats and has hinted that he might be interested in seeking another term as governor.

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DAN ISSEL WILL SPEAK AT LOCAL CHURCH SUNDAY

Dan Isel, All-American basketball player from the University of Kentucky will be guest speaker at the West Liberty Christian Church Sunday, April 26.

Isel, who finished the 1970-71 season at UK's highest scorer, will speak during the Sunday morning Bible Hour and will participate in the morning worship service.

The morning worship service will be broadcast over WLKS.

Isel recently signed a \$1.1 million contract to play professional basketball with the Louisville Colonels.

GATEWAY DIST. OFFICIALS ASK CAVE RUN FUNDS

Caswell P. Lane, Judge of Montgomery County, provided testimony before the House and Senate Appropriations Committees in Washington last week to request additional budget funds for recreational purposes around Cave Run Reservoir.

Judge Lane was accompanied to Washington by William H. Layne, Mayor of Morehead, and Calvin S. Schneider, Director of the Gateway Area Development District.

Congressmen Carl Perkins and John Watts and Senators John Cooper and Marlow Cook have exerted a monumental effort on behalf of the Gateway Counties to obtain these additional recreation funds.

Judge Lane and Mayor Layne expressed confidence that the funds would be forthcoming, "thanks to the concerted efforts of our senators and congressmen."

Ezel Juniors Will Present Class Play Friday Night, Apr. 24

The Junior class of Ezel High will present their class play, "Hillbilly Wedding", a three act comedy, Friday night, April 24, at 7 p.m. Admission will be 50 cents for children and \$1.00 for adults. The concession stand will be open during intermission. Proceeds will go for the Junior and Senior banquet.

DRILLING WELL DEEPER

Paul Drake of Joliet, Ill., has resumed drilling in the well on the Nickell lease near Adele and plans to go through the corniferous. Drilling was halted two months ago at the top of the corniferous. The well is No. 2 on the Nickell lease Well No. 1 has been producing 25 years.

BAKE SALE

Paulina Chapter 360 Order of Eastern Star will hold a rummage and bake sale Saturday May 2, on the porch of the old West Liberty Hospital Building.

RUBELLA IMMUNIZATION CLINICS SCHEDULED IN MORGAN APRIL 24

On Friday, April 24, Morgan County joins the nation-wide fight against rubella or 3-day measles. All children in grades one through six, and all children over one year of age may receive the vaccine for the 3-day measles.

The live rubella vaccine was recently developed by researchers at the National Institutes of Health, and has proved to be safe and highly effective in preventing rubella in children.

The program is part of a nationwide effort to control rubella and interrupt transmission of the rubella virus to susceptible pregnant women.

Teams from the Kentucky State Department of Health will be assisting county health department personnel, using jet injectors to administer the vaccine.

No child will be immunized without written parental consent.

Rubella is generally a mild illness in children, but when the disease is acquired by a woman in the early months of pregnancy, it poses a direct hazard

to her unborn baby, such as fetal death—or in the case of a live birth—severe defects such as blindness, deafness, heart disease and mental retardation.

Rubella, commonly called "German" or "3-day measles" is not to be confused with "8-day measles" ("old fashioned measles," or "red measles.") Immunization against one will not protect against the other.

TEAM 1—

Anyone desiring further information about the rubella program may call the Morgan County Health Department.

Schedule of Clinics

Ezel School, 8:30 a.m. until 10:00 a.m.

Cannel City School, 10:30 a.m. until 12:00 noon.

Crockett School, 1:00 p.m. until 2:30 p.m.

TEAM 2—

West Liberty Elementary School, 8:30 a.m. until 10:15 a.m.

Morgan County High School, 10:30 a.m. until 12:00 noon.

Wrigley School, 1:15 p.m. until 2:30 p.m.

MONEY MANAGEMENT COURSE IS SCHEDULED HERE NEXT MONTH

How do you rate as a family financial manager? Are there enough hours in the day for you to accomplish the task you would like to do? Is it easy for you to make the decisions in distributing the family dollars. Does the family income seem to be exhausted before the next pay day?

Being able to manage the family income is not an easy task, but involves much thought, planning and skill. It is a process of learning through knowledge and experience. This process begins in childhood and extends through the adult stage. It could be the difference of having a new car, home, range, or a college education for your children.

Miss Mary Ann Foudray, County Extension Agent for Home Economics, reports the University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service is offering a Money Management Course for the residents of Morgan County. The title is "Key To Managing Your Family Dollars." This involves four sessions which will meet each Tuesday for four weeks. The first session will be Tuesday, May 5th in the West Liberty Library at 7:00 p.m. Anyone interested in improving their management

skills in family finances may enroll. This is a non-credit course. There is a small fee for cost of materials.

To learn new ways of how to better stretch the family finances, visit your County Extension Office, located on the second floor of the Court House in West Liberty or call 743-3292, and have your name added to the list of participants.

Registration will extend through April 30.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF FIRST GRANDCHILD

Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Gullett of West Liberty announce the arrival of their first grandchild, a daughter born April 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Gullett of Kansas City, Mo. The child has not yet been named. The mother is the former Jonie Marie Bomerato of Rondono Beach, Calif.

MT. STERLING MOTOR PLANT EMPLOYS 1,000

MT. STERLING, KY. — Mt. Sterling's newest factory, a motor building plant of the A. O. Smith Corporation, now employs 1,000 people with an annual payroll of \$6 million. Five years ago the plant had 110 employees.

Two From Morgan Inducted April 16

Two young Morgan County men left last Thursday, April 16, for induction into the Army. They were—

Kenneth Charles Lawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lenzie Lawson, Korea, Ky., and Lynn Mathis Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kelley of Route 1 West Liberty.

Kelley was a volunteer.

MORGAN NATIVE PASSES APRIL 11

Mrs. Laverna Manning, 80, widow of Grover Manning, died Saturday April 11 at her home in Jeffersonville, Montgomery County, after a long illness.

A native of Morgan County, she was a member of the Church of God.

Survivors are one son, Woodrow Manning, Jeffersonville; five daughters, Mrs. Laura Lawson, Frenchburg, Mrs. Nannie Lawson, and Mrs. Mary Belle Manning, both of Mt. Sterling, Mrs. Wilma Rowe, Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. Ruth Whitaker, Jeffersonville; one brother, Elijah Lawson, Jeffersonville; four sisters, Mrs. Ran Moore, Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. Inez Hoskins, Hamilton, Ohio, Mrs. Lula Lawson, Jeffersonville and Mrs. Callie Moore, Campton; 21 grandchildren, 30 great-grandchildren.

Services by the Rev. Marion Mango at the Eastin-Richey Funeral Home. Burial was in the Ezel Cemetery.

What we need more than the new look is a new outlook.

DR. JOHNSON DIES

SALYERSVILLE, KY. — Dr. M. T. Johnson, 61, well known dentist of Salyersville, died last week after being stricken by a heart attack at his home on Middle Creek.

MORGAN MENTAL HEALTH CLINIC MOVES TO PERMANENT QUARTERS

Rooms In Former W.L. Hospital Bldg. Leased For Clinic

The Morgan County Comprehensive Care Clinic for mentally ill patients this week moved into permanent quarters on the second floor of the former West Liberty Hospital Building on Main Street. The mental health clinic previously had shared quarters with the Morgan County Health Department.

The new quarters for the Comprehensive Care Program were leased by the Morgan County Mental Health and Mental Retardation Board with federal grant money channeled through the Cave

Run Area Comprehensive Care Board.

The Morgan County Comprehensive Care Clinic, which has been in existence six months, provides outpatient care for mentally ill patients and is staffed by a psychiatrist, a psychologist, and other trained personnel, and is administered by the Cave Run Comprehensive Care Board.

The move to new quarters will provide room for overnight patient care and expanded outpatient treatment and rehabilitation projects.

Dr. Susan Conley or Morehead is director of the Morgan County clinic.

Persons wishing to contact the county clinic may call 743-3139.

HAS SWIFT'S LONG LOST LODGE BEEN FOUND AT LAST?

From The Wolfe County News

Rev. Joseph Bunch, of Flat, (located near the Wolfe-Lee line), has made an unusual and exciting announcement. He made the statement that he has had ore tested on his property and the testing device showed very rich ore.

The testing device was brought to the Bunch farm by interested persons from Ohio.

The lode abounds, Mr. Bunch said, up and down the river in the vicinity of the Old Hieronymus Ford, 1/2 to 3/4 miles of very rich silver ore. He said he will start mining as soon as he obtains proper equipment.

He said the proceeds will be used primarily for Christian work—spreading of the Gospel by airways and every other way possible. He also indicated that a portion would be used to help the handicapped, and concluded "God has been so good to us."

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chella said in January, "If this works out the way it looks, this will be the largest body of this ore ever found on this continent."

This writer traveled to the scene with the three men in January to take samples for testing. The samples were taken from three separate sites, each within a mile of the Jordan home. They were submitted to Papucci Testing Laboratories at Cincinnati for analysis. Roland Papucci was one of the original participants in the combine, but now has no financial interest in the lands.

The analysis showed:

Sample 1 (taken from cliff cliff vein) .89 oz. per ton.

Sample 2 (taken from road-side cut) .28 oz. per ton.

Sample 3 (taken from low

men, but those leases were allowed to expire and all outside claims are gone.

Mr. Neely, who has been exuberant during the entire treasure-seek, said he believes the vein to be 100 feet thick "and I know there are millions of tons in it." He and his wife are closing their grocery at Milford to move to Blaine.

Nicholas Raschella, Louisa mineral prospector and developer who has been associated in the discovery since Jay Jordan first brought samples to him for study, said Mr. Neely's move "may be what it takes to develop this property. He's getting people interested."

Though cautious throughout the testing procedure, Mr. Ras-

Gold Strike Report Is Causing Stir

By GEORGE WOLFFORD

BLAINE — Reports from widely separated laboratories give strong indication gold may exist in commercial quantities on the Jay Jordan farm between Elaine and Sandy Hook.

In fact, Homer Neely, Sr., former Floyd Countian now residing near Cincinnati, says one test from Arizona indicates there are nearly 60 ounces of gold in a ton of earth on the land.

Other tests work out so low as to indicate only traces, but even those traces could be so located as to be valuable.

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UNEARTHED—Homer Neely, Sr., left, and Jay Jordan pull clumps of frozen earth from a spot near the Jordan home on Cam Creek at Blaine. Numerous assays taken on samples of the soil have shown gold, ranging from trace to commercial to rich.

cut in side of hollow) 1.01 oz. per ton.

Those same samples, submitted to St. Louis Testing Laboratories, showed 7.583 oz. for sample No. 1 and 24.208 oz. for sample No. 3, either of which could be considered astounding.

In addition, the samples have turned up quantities of lead, zinc, and silver — any one of which could be commercially developable.

The Jordan farm—406 acres — lies along Sam Creek in Lawrence, not far from the "pipes" of Elliott County where diamonds and other minerals have been prospected for nearly 100 years.

First public notice of the interest in Lawrence County gold came last summer when a Fort

Gay man began building a series of sluices and pits for extracting minerals on his farm. Much of the leasing mentioned earlier grew, at least partially, on finds he reported.

Mr. Neely said he is negotiating with firms in Detroit and Nevada for a mining contract. The owners of the ore would be due one-eighth of its value at the mine face, if normal royalty procedures are followed.

Developing the potential has been a knotty problem of finance. But Mr. Neely said Wednesday, "No stock is for sale."

A Colorado equipment firm offers a package mining-processing outfit for \$100,000, and by working three or four men on the project, a return of \$1,000

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OAK HILL AND BLAIRS MILLS

BY MRS. DORA COLLINS

April 22 — Mr. and Mrs. Neute Elam, who have been visiting with their children the past two weeks, returned home Saturday morning accompanied by their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Ervin and children of Dayton, Ohio. The Ervins spent Saturday night and Sunday with the Elams and on their return home visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ervin of Morehead.

Saturday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Neute Elam and Franklin were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ervin of Dayton, Ohio and Mrs. Emerson Easterling and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Perry, Jr. of Taylor, Mich., spent Saturday night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Collins, Sunday, the Perrys, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Collins, drove to Lower Lick Fork to the home of Mr. Perry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Perry, Sr., who were celebrating their Golden Wedding anniversary. It was also a celebration for Mr. Collins' 73rd birthday.

Mr. Homer Easterling and Mr. Boyd Easterling Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Carl Brown of Fairborn, Ohio, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Marlene Clevenger, Brenda and Delma Collins and Mrs. Dora Collins shopped in Ashland last Thursday.

Monday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Neute Elam and Franklin were Mr. Avery Abrams and Mr. and Mrs. Morton Collins and Stanley.

Mrs. Neute Elam and her reporter visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Frances Lewis and Dima Lewis of Pomf. We were pleased to find aunt Frances doing so well after her long sick spell.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Clevenger

ger, Lisa, and Mrs. Dora Collins were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Collins and girls Sunday for our first cook-out this spring. Afternoon visitors of the Collins family were George Elam and Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Bernard Whitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Bateson of Bowling Green, Ohio, while on their way for a vacation in Florida, stopped to spend Sunday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kegley. They, with the Kegleys, were Monday dinner guests of her sister, Mrs. Estelle Kidd.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Collins of Wrigley were Friday night supper guests of his mother, Mrs. Dora Collins, and Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Clevenger and Lisa.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Easterling and Mr. and Mrs. Billie Easterling, Debbie and Sherry, all from Michigan, visited last week with their father, Mr. Ervin Easterling, and Mrs. Easterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Easterling and her brother, Rollie Gevedon, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Burman Gevedon and family of Little Cane.

STACY FORK

By Jessie E. Lewis

April 15 — Very sorry to hear of the death of our cousin, Minnie Havens. Heartfelt sympathy to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Leach and son, Daniel, of Dayton, O., spent last weekend with relatives here and at Malone.

Dorothy Hunt spent last weekend with her sister, Mrs. Henry Fugate and family. She returned home Tuesday.

Willie Stacy and Clarence Haney were in town Tuesday.

Harold Walter and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lewis attended church at Cannel City Saturday night. Rev. Ray Benton is pastor. Rev. Maddox, past of the West Liberty First Church of God, delivered a good message.

Edgar Lewis attended church at South Fork Sunday morning and a baptismal service near Cane Sunday afternoon.

Kelly Lewis visited his cousin, Fannie Nipper, and John Nipper and family of Dehart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lewis and daughter, Nancy, of Germantown, Ohio visited his father, Martin Lewis, and Jessie E. a short while Saturday afternoon.

Edgar Lewis visited his brother, Martin Lewis, Sunday afternoon.

Prayer and get-well wishes for the small son of Frances Hill.

Life would be simple if people were willing to be themselves.

VANCE FORK

By Jewell Lewis

April 21 — Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Lewis of Fairborn, Ohio and Mrs. Lydia Helton of Springboro, Ohio spent Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis. Other callers were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clay Vance and family of Paris spent on Thursday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lewis and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vance of Cane, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Isaac of White Oak, Mrs. Geneva Vance and Fay of Cottle. Friday night callers were Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Lewis, Lydia Helton of Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wayne Lewis and Kim of West Liberty.

Get well wishes go to Mr. Bill Burgett in the Morehead hospital, Mr. Junior Cornett in a Lexington hospital, and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hammack of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wardie Bailey of Holliday, Mrs. Beulah Vance and Mrs. Mattie Lou Fraley went for a drive Sunday to Jackson sight seeing.

Mr. and Mrs. Kash Reed of Morehead spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Geneva Vance, and Fay. Sunday night callers were Nanna Burgett and Mrs. Cassie Hammonds.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helton and children of Harper spent the weekend in Cincinnati with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peyton and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burgett of this place Friday.

Mrs. Elsie Elkins and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wayne Lewis and Kim of West Liberty were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lewis of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis and grandson, Chuck, of Germantown, Ohio were weekend guests and callers of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis of this place and Mrs. Geneva Vance and Fay of Cottle.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lewis and Mrs. Elsie Baves were in Paintsville Saturday night for the Porter Wagener Show. Kimberly Lewis and Kimberly Elkins spent the night with Mrs. Jewell Lewis.

Fatty Vance and her two brothers of Winnie, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis and Chuck of Ohio, Mrs. Betty Vance and daughters of Ohio, Cassie Potter of Cottle, Joe Fraley of Holliday, and Mr. A. J. Herald of West Liberty were visitors of Mrs. Geneva Vance and Fay of Cottle.

Mrs. Geneva Vance and Fay of Cottle will spend this week in Morehead with Mr. and Mrs. Kash Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burgett and children called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Helton of Harper and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lewis Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Johnson called on Mr. and Mrs. Everett Johnson of Cane and Mr. J. W. Blevis.

Mrs. Elizabeth Cornett, Sue Johnson, Mrs. Anna Ruth Harper, Mrs. Russell Burgett, and Sandra Helton called on Mrs. Gene Lewis Monday.

Jewell Lewis and Kim called on Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hammack Saturday.

HOLLIDAY

By Harrison Holliday

April 20 — On Saturday, April 18, we had the following persons from Ohio: Mrs. Pierce Steele, her son, Paul, his wife, Vivian, and their son and Mrs. Noah Jones. They all had been to see Noah Holliday of Jeffersonville, who has been in a Lexington hospital for blood transfusions. They stopped here for a short visit on their way home.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lewis of Stacy Fork were here for a short stay Saturday. They were on their way to West Liberty for a business trip.

Brvan Lacy has been on the sick list for a few days and on Sunday evening the ambulance came and took him to Morehead Medical Center for a check up and maybe to have an operation. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adams were at his home when he left and took his wife, Sally, home with them until they know more about Brvan and the operation.

Mrs. Charley Holliday has returned from Morehead Medical Center where she had minor surgery. She is at home now and improving nicely. Her daughter, Mrs. Linda Boyd of Middletown, Ohio plans to stay with her this week to help her do the house chores.

Mrs. Collen Boyd, Darrel Holliday and Mrs. Douglas Boyd, went to Blackwater to take Douglas Boyd to go back with his brother to Middletown, O. Charles Whitley of near Hazard called me by phone and said he was ok and that he would rather call than write a letter. He and his son plan to come down soon to do some fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Holliday were in West Liberty on business on Friday of last week.

Spring cleaning time is rapidly approaching and one item which should be kept high on the list is getting rid of old cans of paint and thinner. Keeping them around too long could lead to an explosive situation.

PARK HILL

By Cassie Lewis

April 20 — "For lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone; The flowers appear on the earth; the time of the singing of birds is come, and the voice of the turtle is heard in our lands." Song of Solomon 2:11, 12.

This nice spring weather has again reminded us of the above writings of King Solomon.

Mrs. Clyde Hutchinson, Nickie and Patsy Hutchinson visited last week in Xenia and Fairborn, Ohio with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Cooper and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchinson, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lewis visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Onzie Engle and family of Yocum. The Engles accompanied them home after a visit to their farm and to the farm of Tom Hopkins, where Mr. Engle has been clearing ground with a bulldozer getting it ready for grass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hutchinson spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hutchinson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lewis. Other guests of the Lewises were Mr. and Mrs. Jim F. Enzle of Yocum, Mr. Phillip Terry of Cannel City, and Miss Linda Sheets of Woodshod.

Frances and Willie Pennington visited recently with Walter Blevis and family. Carl Brown and family, Milford Whitt and family, and Thelma Whitt and family.

We were pleased to see Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Nevius in West Liberty Saturday.

WOODSBEND

By Eve May

April 20 — We extend get-well wishes to a good neighbor, Mrs. H. G. Sheets, who has been a patient in a Lexington hospital.

Mrs. Esta Gunnell was in Lexington Tuesday for a check-up by Dr. Kelly.

Mrs. C. C. May returned to Frankfort on Wednesday after visiting Mrs. Ollie Carpenter for several days.

Mrs. James Ray McGuire and family spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Henry and attended the funeral of Donna Ratliff.

Mrs. J. S. Roberson has returned home from a visit with relatives in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse May and family of Xenia, Ohio, Mrs. Happy Cox and Chuck of Winchester, and Scotty May of Hazel Green Academy were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. May.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas May and Alesia Paige spent three days in Ohio with his sister and brother and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd May.

Mrs. Ollie Carpenter celebrated a birthday Sunday with her two daughters present: Mrs. Elmer Anderson of Morehead and Mrs. Wilmer Cecil of West Liberty; also Mrs. C. C. May of Frankfort, Mrs. John Anderson of Morehead, Donna Carpenter and Rhonda Rupe of West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. James Carpenter and Todd Allen, of Chicago, Illinois are spending a week with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson, Paul and Lisa, of Louisville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Evans on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arkie Patrick of Cottle were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron May.

Mrs. Fred Sowards and family of Germantown, Ohio spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Garry Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Leach.

MORGAN HIGH HONOR ROLL

Richard Jett, principal, announces the honor roll for the 4th six-week period at Morgan County High as follows—

Fifth Grade — Keith Allen, Myra Allen, Jeffery Benton, Larry Carpenter, Mona Lisa Caskey, David Easterling, Connie Harper, Timothy Hembree, Timothy Johnson, Mary Jane Lacy, Marvin Patrick, Ray Potter, Cheri Scanlon, Terry Stacy, Kenneth Vance, Judy Whitt, Carolyn Joslin, Stephen Goodpaster, Anna Lee Gullett, Terry Howell, Rhonda Lewis, Scotty May, Pam Oldfield, Glen Prater, Paula Stamper, Glenda Woodward.

Sixth Grade — Kenneth Allen, Jeffrey Franklin, Harlan L. Ward, Connie Adkins, Carolyn Bailey, Janie Sheets, Brent Cecil, Monnie May, Karen Hale, Greg Chaney, Rebecca Lykins, Larry Clay Collins, Judy Caskey, Debora Rose, Robin Fannin, Beverly Vance, Nancy Wallace, Mark Lykins, George Bellamy.

Seventh Grade — Joy Adkins, Ricky Chaney, Brenda Gilliam, Jean Harvey, Nancy Hunley, Waline Lacy, Judy Perkins, Sara Jim Perry, Brenda Potter, Dennis Sheets, Allen Smith, Brenda Vance, Wanda Bailey, Sherry Amyn, Ronnie Roe, Karen Tyree, Belinda Lykins, James Nickell, David McClure.

Eighth Grade — Pam Stapleton, Marcus Jenkins, Steve Terrell, Kay Nickell, Marvin Holbrook, Connie Lewis, Randy Riser, Frankie Turner, Hank Allen, Orville Beulhimer, Charlette Cottle, Elaine Frances, Gloria Gevedon, Glennis Goodpaster, Charles Gullett, Tim Holbrook, Susan Howard, Rhonda Hutchinson, Kim Lykins, Gregg Phillips, Michael Perry, Freddie Sheets, Adalene Vance, Pat Williams, Sally Wilson, Greg Wingo, Glois Coffey, Francis Flam, Gail Elam, Susan Elam, Billy Haney, Tommy Conley.

Freshman — Joy E. Brooks, Roger D. Callahan, Maioire Hill, Devra Kidd, Deborah Lewis, Marilyn Mays, Jerald Nickell, Stephanie Roach, Phyllis Perry, Debbie Williams, John Smith, James Cantrell, Lisa Carter, Thelma Collins, Claudette Dyer, Joyce Elliott.

Sophomores — Steve Ratliff, Jane Murray, James Phipps, Ava Martell Nickell, Wanda McGuire, Deborah Sue Penix, James Ferguson, Mike Day, Ronnie De

Board, Mike Elam, Kenneth Cottle, Susie Hammond, Delmer Holbrook, Johnny Jones, Phyllis Jones, Ruby Kelly, Glenn Lewis, Connie S. Sargent, Ponzell Shaver, Belinda Steele, Rose Ann Stumbo, Charles Thompson, Charles Whitaker, Harlow Cantrell, Patricia Bailey, Sara Blair, Linda Calhahan, Christy Benton, Vernell Coffey, Jimmy Caudill, Kathy Goodpaster, Diana Ferguson, Connie Haney, Norma Fannin.

Juniors — Oneida Haney, Jerry Haney, Deloris Helton, Alice Gevedon, Carolyn Fincher, Robert Helton, Jimmy Hill, Nancy Ferguson, Kathy Howard, Mary Holbrook, Steven Howard, Delores Helton, Shirley Blankenship, Karen Dawson, Karl Elam, Freda Adkins, Beverly Elam, Phyllis Fannin, Theresa Cecil Eula Ferguson, Maioire Ball, Donna Carpenter, Edsill Cline, Cheryl Lykins, Billy Nickell, Ruth Nickell, Paul Kidd, Janet Lykins, Connie Ison, Marilyn Nickell, Paul Wingo, Pauletta Whitt, Linda Whitt, Leslie Walter, Randy Walsh, Irma Sue Wallin, Bill Wallace, Billy Sheets, Marsha Reed, Celia Roe, Marcella Phipps.

Seniors — Jane Harvey, Betty Hill, Alfred Johnson, Janice Jones, Deborah Lykins, Billy Mason, Elton McGary, Billy Hampton, Debbie Perry, Judy Perry, Hershell Rowland, Edna Shearers, Diana Weddington, Dana Whitt, Peggy Standafer, Jerry Trusty, David Adams.

FLATWOODS

By Mary B. Kemplin

April 20 — Two young men from W.M.T.C. Bible School, Mt. Carmel, Breathitt County, were here at Woodbend Community Church Sunday. They were real good talkers.

Mrs. New of Grassy Creek attended church here Sunday evening. She came with Mrs. Christine Wheeler.

The Kemplin family here went to the woods for a picnic Saturday evening.

The Larry Wheeler family of Middletown, Ohio visited relatives here over the weekend.

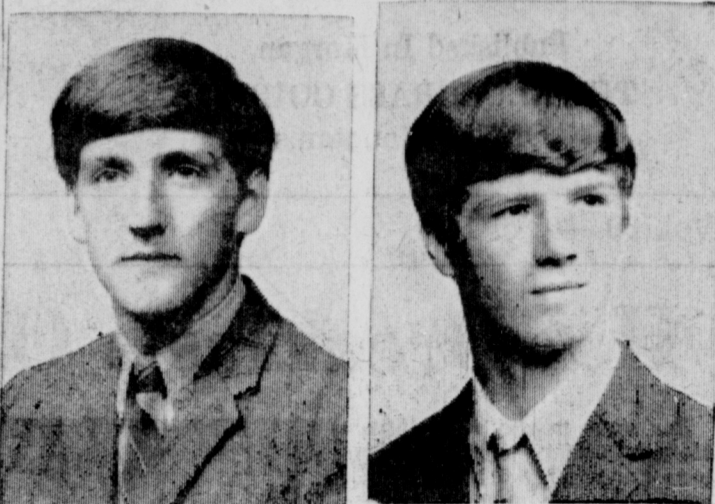
Mr. and Mrs. Yondal Phipps visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Long Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Vance called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Long Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blevis called on Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Leach Sunday.

Mr. Arlie Nickell and Mrs. Betty Joe Evans called on Mrs. Nora Easterling. Miss Patsy Easterling visited with them.

TWO AREA RESIDENTS ENROLLED IN TECHNOLOGY INSTITUTE



Jerry K. Lindon, left, and Edwin L. Brown of West Liberty have been accepted for an electronics technology program at Ohio Technical College in Columbus, Ohio. The technical college is a member of the Bell & Howell Schools, a nationwide network of institutes of technology. Lindon is the son of Mrs. Beatrice Lindon and Brown is son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown. Both Lindon and Brown are seniors at Morgan County High School.

MORGAN COUNTIANS IN FAIRBORN, OHIO

BY NORA EASTERLING

April 20 — Willie O. Johnson of Dayton, Ohio and Walter M. Johnson of Ft. Lorain, Ky., celebrated their birthdays Saturday, April 11.

Mrs. Vertie Spence and Mrs. Etta Horn, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willie O. Johnson. Mrs. Spence took Mr. Johnson a birthday cake.

Miss Anita Garland was Saturday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Williams and Toni spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williams, Danny, Debra, Pam, and Ricky.

Mrs. Amanda Miller was Saturday and Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Olden Montgomery.

Rev. Toney Easterling visited awhile with his mother Nora Easterling, Saturday.

Mrs. Dona Hillin spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Viech.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Plemmons are moving to Tennessee. Miss Anna Rae Johnson went to Midway Friday night and got her sister, Essie Gay Johnson, and brought her to Fairborn to spend the weekend. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lee Johnson and Martie, Mrs. Marie Williams, and Nora Easterling. Miss Patsy Easterling visited with them.

Mrs. Nettie Haney of Fairborn, Ohio formerly of Grassy Creek, Ky., and Mr. and Mrs. Corbie Johnson of Clifton, Ohio were Monday night guests of Nora Easterling. Other guests during the day were Mrs. Raymond Williams, Mrs. June Clevenger, Rev. Toney Easterling and Rev. Toney Easterling.

Jack Wright was Thursday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williams.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Flannery of Middletown, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Gravatt Cottle of Elkhart, Ohio attended the funeral of Kenneth Peyton here April 16. While here they visited Mrs. Flannery and Mrs. Cottle's old homeplace at Yocum and the cemetery at Morehead where their parents are buried. Mr. and Mrs. Gravatt Cottle lived at Yocum before moving to Elkhart, Ohio 37 years ago. The Cottles celebrated their 38th wedding anniversary April 16.

Mrs. Nettie Hughes returned home Thursday, after spending a few days in Louisville with Mrs. Maude Easterling.

Mrs. C. K. Stacy and the following employees of the Commercial Bank attended the open house and formal dedication of the new banking building of the Peoples Bank in Sandy Hook Saturday: Alden Collins, Mrs. Dorothy Perry, Mrs. Herbert Wells, and Mrs. Phyllis Hamilton.

Mrs. Homer Fletcher of Caney has returned from a several weeks visit with her daughter, Commander and Mrs. Charles Jasper and children, Alan, Susan, and Sally, in Dublin, Calif. While there, Mrs. Fletcher visited many places of interest in San Francisco, including the Golden Gate Bridge and Park, Twin Peaks, Fisherman's Wharf and China Town. While the Jasper children were on spring vacation from school, they all spent a week at Malibu Beach. They also visited Knott's Berry Farm, Disney Land, Los Angeles, Universal Studios, and other places of interest. Mrs. Fletcher made the trip by TWA jet from Cincinnati Airport.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brooks and family over the weekend were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sybert of Valparaiso, Indiana and Dean Kimbler of Flat Gap.

Mrs. Peggy Carpenter and children of Fairborn, Ohio spent Easter weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. New Perry of West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Perry and sons of Fairborn, Ohio have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. New Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Williams of West Liberty.

Cassie Fugett of Blaine was a brief visitor of Mrs. Elizabeth Perry Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Rachel Perry and two granddaughters of Pomp were calling on Mrs. Elizabeth Perry Saturday of last week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Perry and Mrs. Mattie Bishop visited with Mrs. Stella Fannin and Rhoda Stacy Sunday afternoon.

McKinley Callahan of Blaine is back at his home doing very well after spending several days in the hospital at Morehead. He is a brother of Elizabeth Perry of West Liberty.

Gary A. Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. New Perry, is with the armed forces in South Korea. He is duty clerk and clerk typist in the main headquarters building there which is 15 miles from the north Korean border. He has been serving there since Oct. 13, 1969. He plans to be back home on a 20-day leave May 18.

A large crowd attended the funeral of Lenell Perry of Fairborn, Ohio, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Perry of Pomp.

Sharmarie Perry, little daughter of Johnny Perry, who has been sick with a cold and virus the past few days but is much improved.

Shirley Scanlon took her baby, Pennine, back to Lexington to Dr. Snyder for her regular check up and shots Friday.

Mrs. Garry Perry and little daughter, Ginger, spent from Saturday till Thursday of last week with Garry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. New Perry in West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Perry and daughters, Kathy and Sharon, of Lexington spent the weekend with Alden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. New Perry of West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. New Perry of West Liberty. Mrs. Austin Hill and Mrs. Dixie Thornberry were visitors in Ashland Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Franklin have returned to their home at Malone after spending the winter with their children in Detroit, Mich. and Franklin, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wells of Newark, Ohio spent the weekend with Mrs. Hazel May and family and other relatives here.

Mrs. Hazel May, Anna Ruth Roach and Stephanie and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wells and Ray Davis of Dayton, Ohio spent Saturday at the races at Keeneland in Lexington.

Miss Sandy May, Connie Fredrick, and two roommates of Morehead State University spent their spring vacation in Daytona Beach, Fla. David May accompanied them to Sanford, Fla. and spent the week with his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Osborne.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lee of Lexington and Nadine Minix were Saturday night guests of Mrs. Hazel May and family.

Senator and Mrs. Everett Bach of Jackson were visitors in West Liberty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam D. Cecil of Hazel Green had as their guests last weekend Mr. and Mrs. Don Drake of Spokane, Wash.

Wm. W. McGuire of Middletown, Ohio visited his brother, Ova McGuire of near Ezel a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holbrook had the following guests through the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Holmes and Kinny, Mr. and Mrs. Greg Stephens of Ashland, Mrs. Mary Lou Dyke and James Shively of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Black and Leslie and Mrs. Connie Hopkins and Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kersey, and Mrs. Charles Holbrook visited Sunday afternoon with Kevin Adkins at the St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington.

Kevin Adkins, 8 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Adkins of Lenox, is a patient at the St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington, suffering from a serious case of Bright's disease.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dunn and children of Middletown, Ohio spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dunn of Kellacee.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dunn of Kellacee had as Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dunn and children of Middletown, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert L. Peyton and Julie and Vickie, Mrs. Rex Maxey, Rebecca and Randy.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haney had as Sunday dinner guests, Mrs. Lula Stacy, Vernon and Winnie of Grassy Creek, Mrs. Nettie Gevedon of Grassy Creek, and Mrs. Ray Goodpastor visited in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell M. Hall of Mt. Sterling spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Adkins and Mrs. Justine Hall.

Mrs. L. B. Adkins and Joy visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Darrell M. Hall of Mt. Sterling and Joy remained with them until Saturday.

Mrs. Connie Black Titlow of West Van Lear and Sheila Black visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Adkins and Joy and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Marvin Hall.

Paul Drake of Joliet, Ill., an oil developer, is in Morgan county this week. He is having the well on the Nickell lease at Adele drilled deeper.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

Mr. and Mrs. Olen K. Gamble of West Liberty announce the birth of a son April 16 at the University of Kentucky Medical Center, Lexington. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 13 ounces and has been named Olen Hoyt. The Gambles have four daughters: Benita, Beverly, Belinda, and Bethany. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Keaton of Route 3 West Liberty and paternal grandfather is Mr. Lonnie Gamble of Franklin, Ohio.

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Regional Mental Health Board To Meet Friday At MSU

A meeting of the Cave Run Regional Mental Health and Mental Retardation Board, Inc. will be held Friday, April 24, at 6 p.m. in the Alumni Towers Dining Room at Morehead State University.

Dr. Dale Farrabee, Commissioner of Mental Health of Kentucky will be the speaker. All area residents are invited as the annual board meeting is open to the public.

Evening meal will be available by going through the cafeteria line.

Stock Shower For Mrs. Wells Held At Methodist Church

The Margaret Stacy Circle of the Methodist Church gave a stock shower in honor of Mrs. Aubrey Wells last Tuesday evening at the Wesley Room. Those present and sending gifts were:

Mrs. Jerald Amyx and Joan, Suda Lewis, Georgia Stacy, Cassie Lewis, Brenda Engle, Jim Frank and Emma Jean Engle, Mrs. Earl Price, Inez Donovan, Wilma Faulkner, Marie Engle, Estelle Brown, Mrs. Fannie Perry, Devone Knox, Caroline Sheets, Linda Patrick, Mae Harvey, Sandra Gullett, Rosemary Lewis, Casie Wells, Bette Bellamy, Mrs. Earl Kinner, Pam Robbins, Bonnie McKenzie, Florence Murray, Gladys Gullett, Louise Fraley, Irene Vest, Myrtle Lewis, Ruth Gullett, Anita Hunley, Jean Herald, Delphia Wells, Jill Engle.

AREA GIRL SCOUT LEADERS IN MEET HERE WEDNESDAY

Adult volunteers from five area counties gathered in West Liberty yesterday, April 22, for a semi-annual area meeting of the Wilderness Road Girl Scout Council.

The meeting was held at 7:30 p.m. at the Christian Church, with Mrs. Ale Spencer presiding.

At the meeting were Miss Mary Jane Nelson and Mrs. Marjorie Zeigler, national Girl Scout leaders from Washington, D. C. Miss Nelson is a regional consultant and Mrs. Zeigler a training specialist.

Also on hand were Mrs. Oscar Houglund, Winchester, Second Vice President of the council; Mrs. Evans McGraw, Lexington, Executive Director, and Miss Kathryn A. Johnson, Prestonsburg, new Field Advisor for the area.

The area—No. 5—is made up of Elliott, Wolfe, Morgan, Menifee, and Breathitt counties.

Miss Sandy Valley Pageant Saturday At Paintsville

The Paintsville Kiwanis Club will present "It's Fun To Be Young," the Miss Sandy Valley Scholarship Pageant, Saturday night, April 25, at the Johnson Central High School Fieldhouse. The pageant begins at 8 p.m. and is an official preliminary to the Miss Kentucky and Miss America Pageants, with the winner representing the counties of Morgan, Lawrence, Martin, and Johnson.

Miss Sharon Kay Stansberry of Louisa, Miss Sandy Valley of 1969, will crown the 70 winner who will be chosen from 10 lovely and talented contestants.

The 1970 Miss Sandy Valley will participate in the Miss Kentucky Pageant in Louisville June 18-20.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to express my appreciation to my friends and neighbors for their kindness after my accident on March 22; for the flowers and cards, cakes and pies, etc. sent to me. A very special thank you to Mrs. Venice Elam for her many thoughtful deeds and such-needed help. Everyone has been most kind.

—Mrs. Lowell Holbrook, Grassy Creek, Ky.

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We would like to thank the following stores for the donation of food they gave for our chili supper: Walter Bach's Grocery, Jones Grocery, Tom Cox's Grocery, Black's Supermarket, Homer Elam's, Walter's Market, Tredway's Cash Store, Wright's Fruit Market, McKenzie's General Store, and Frankie Oldfield Grocery.

—The Junior Class of Ezel High

MRS. BAGBY DIES

GRAYTON, KY. — Mrs. Mary C. Bagby, 58, wife of Lexington attorney William R. Bagby, died April 11 at a hospital in Boston after a long illness. Atty. and Mrs. Bagby are former Grayson residents. She was a native of Catlettsburg.

Theories are educated hunches with common-sense attachments.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

By Margaret Wallace

There will be a meeting at Stanton Baptist Church Friday evening, April 24. Emphasis shaping the 70's will be the theme of the program. Rev. Pendegraph from the State Board Office, Middletown, Ky., will be explaining the changes in the 70's for church officers Eugene Quinn, State Music Director, will present church music for shaping the 70's.

Lorene Wilson is Intermediate Girls Auxiliary Counselor. Barbara Cross and Barbara Motley are making plans to organize a Junior Girls Auxiliary.

We are very proud and pleased to bear that Sheryl Cassidy's request to be a summer missionary for the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention had been granted. Sheryl will be leaving sometime in June to work in the state of Oregon.

Several have complimented the Sunday Bulletin recently. Rev. Lester makes the bulletins interesting as well as informative. He doesn't always have poems, but this being spring and everyone rushing around reminded me of the poem we had in the bulletin last Sunday entitled, "Overheard In An Orchard."

Said the Robin to the Sparrow: "I would really like to know why these anxious humans beings rush about and worry so?" Said the Sparrow to the Robin: "I think it must be that they know no Heavenly Father such as cares for you and me."

The choir is improving due to practice every Wednesday night. Last Sunday's choir special, with Connie Hopkins assisting at the piano, was much improved.

This being spring and baseball season and your reporter being a sports fan, hopes you will excuse mistakes, as it is hard to write, watch and listen to the baseball game all at the same time.

See you in church Sunday.

18 Conversions Recorded During Revival Last Week

Eighteen conversions and one rededication were recorded during the spring revival held at the West Liberty Christian Church last week.

The revival, conducted by a quartet of ministers from the Chicago area, drew a large attendance for each service.

Rev. Steve Bliffen, pastor, said members of the congregation have termed the revival one of the most inspirational in the history of the church.

FLORESS MAN MARKS 55TH BIRTHDAY WITH GATHERING APRIL 10

Walter Johnson of Floress celebrated his 55th birthday Friday, April 10. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Lewis, Rhonda, Robin, and Cynthia; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Adkins, Kevin, Patsy and Joanie; Mr. and Mrs. James Conley, Joe, Jeanie, Danny, Tommy, Andy, David, Linda, Timothy, Beth, and Deborah; Mrs. Paris Lewis, Jennie, Libby and Mary; James Henry France, Pamela Francis, Elaine and Karen Easterling, Brenda and Lyndia Cottle, Pam Stapleton, Charlotte Cottle, Patricia Napier, Junior Rigby, David Helton, Jerry Nickell, William Leo Lewis, L. J. Kersey, Charles Lewis, Wayne Hopkins, Richard Williams, James H. Johnson, Burns Cottle, Johnny Johnson, Jimmy Litteral, Lynn Johnson, Greg Jenkins, and Jeff Jenkins.

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New Girl Scout Advisor For E. Ky.

Miss Kathryn A. Johnson, a native of Nelsonville, Ohio and a former teacher, has assumed duties as a professional field advisor for Eastern Kentucky counties served by the Wilderness Road Girl Scout Council.

She will be based in Prestonsburg and will succeed Mrs. Peggy Chaffins, who has resigned.

The new field advisor will furnish professional leadership and advice to Girl Scout adult volunteers in these counties:

Elliott, Wolfe, Morgan, Menifee, Breathitt, Pike, Martin, Floyd, Magoffin and Johnson.

Donna Honchul Is State Association Student Chairman

Donna Honchul of Murray, a junior home economics major, has been elected chairman of the student section of the Kentucky Home Economics Association for the 1970-71 school year.

Chosen by a unanimous vote of delegates from 11 Kentucky colleges and universities at the annual convention in Louisville last weekend, she will represent the association at the American Home Economics Association convention in Cleveland June 22-26.

Currently vice-president of the Home Economics Club, Miss Honchul has also served as historian, KHEA delegate, KHEA newsletter editor, and co-chairman of the Homecoming Day mum sale.

She is also a member of Kappa Omicron Phi honorary home economics fraternity and Alpha Chi national honor society for scholarship.

Commenting on plans for next year, Miss Honchul stressed two main goals: involvement by more students from all schools through improved communications and upgrading the quality of student programs on both the local and state levels.

Sixteen students and nine faculty members represented MSU at the Louisville convention.

Miss Honchul is the daughter of Delbert Honchul and the late Daris Williams Honchul, and a granddaughter of W. H. "Buck" Williams of Route 3, West Liberty.

RETIRED RAILROAD MAN OBSERVES 80TH BIRTHDAY IN PIKE

Mr. Noah Williams of Shelbiana, Pike County, celebrated his 80th birthday Sunday, April 1, with a family gathering. Mr. Williams, a retired section foreman for the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Co., worked 44 years and four months with the railroad. Those present for his birthday were Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Roberson of Pound, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sward and daughters, Betty Ann and Debbie, of Pikeville, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Williams and daughter, Pam, of Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Conn and daughter, Naomi, of Betsy Layne, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Williams and children, Nora Lynn and Louie, Jr., of Shelbiana. A bountiful birthday dinner was served and enjoyed. The afternoon was spent opening gifts and singing hymns. Music was provided by Mr. Noah Williams and sons.

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

The family of W. T. Elam wishes to express their appreciation and thanks for the many cards, letters, and phone calls concerning their father, who suffered a stroke two weeks ago. He is still in a serious condition and in Room 266 at Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, Ky.

WEST LIBERTY ANIMAL HOSPITAL

CHANGING LOCATIONS

Dr. William Holbrook, Veterinarian, announces the opening of his new Animal Hospital on April 27. The new location is 2 1/2 miles west of West Liberty on Route 460 going toward Mt. Sterling. His telephone number remains 743-3776.

West Liberty, Ky., April 23, 1970

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HAZEL GREEN COUPLE OBSERVE 65TH ANNIVERSARY



—Photo by Lanny Franklin

MR. AND MRS. LUTHER BROWN

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Brown of Hazel Green celebrated their 65th wedding anniversary Monday, April 20, with a quiet observance at their home.

Mr. Brown, who is 84, is a son of the late Elisha and Fanny Centers Brown of Campton, and his wife is the daughter of the late Elsberry and Frances Easterling Taubee of Mize.

HAZEL GREEN COUPLE CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swiger of Hazel Green celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Saturday, March 28, at their home.

The couple have lived at Hazel Green all their married life and have seven children who were present for the celebration. This was the first time all the family had been together for 26 years.

Everyone enjoyed a delicious dinner and had a wonderful time. The couple received a lot of nice cards and gifts.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Shelly Swiger and son of Dayton, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Kash Swiger and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glenwood Swiger, all of Franklin, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stacy and family of Great Lakes, Illinois, Mr. Paul Swiger of Hazel Green, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miller and girls of Rittman, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Swiger and family of Ivel, Ky., Keith and Amelia Swiger of Cleveland, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swiger, Jr. of Middle-

town, Ohio, and Mr. Glen Swiger Jr. and girl friend of Oxford University, Ohio. They also had many friends coming and going throughout the entire weekend.

W.L. ELEMENTARY PTA TO MEET THURS., APR. 23

The West Liberty Elementary PTA will meet Thursday, April 23, at 7:30 p.m. at the Wells Hill School. The third grade class will be in charge of the program.

MCTA SPRING DINNER MEET SET AT CROCKETT SCHOOL FOR APRIL 30

The annual spring dinner meeting of the Morgan County Teachers Association will be held at Crockett School Thursday, April 30, at 7 p.m.

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What Farmers Are Concerned About

Problems that Kentucky farmers are thinking about are different from their concerns of previous years.

Commissioner of Agriculture Robert Miller is holding a series of agriculture institutes across the state. And the two held in Eastern Kentucky, at Richmond and Morehead, show a preponderance of discussion about new problems—the growing threat against burley tobacco, and what they can do to help preserve the crop, how best to use pasture acres in a growing shortage of farm labor, and what new farm enterprises can be made profitable.

Commissioner Miller in commenting on these institutes gives an idea of what Kentucky farmers are thinking—

"Most burley growers and agency people generally agree that we need controls on the amount of tobacco sold as well as the acreage grown. While several proposals or ideas have been presented to serve this purpose, practically all have the common objective of regulating the total pounds that reach the market.

"Burley growers and those associated with other segments of the industry are desirous that we define and isolate any elements in burley that might be harmful to human health. At the same time, many feel that while we are working to solve some of the problems facing burley, we should be looking

to enterprises which will take up the economic slack left by a decline in income from tobacco.

"Because some 60 percent of our cropland should be utilized for the growing of hay and pasture, Kentucky farmers should look to expanded livestock enterprises. Kentucky catlemen are gaining very favorable recognition as producers of feeder calves—and our numbers are growing rapidly.

"Kentucky is growing as a center of feeder pig production. While our sheep industry has been losing ground, specialists in this field see many farmers as missing a good profit making opportunity with this enterprise. In the area of poultry, Kentucky is not producing enough eggs to supply in-state markets.

"Dairying, already a major part of our agriculture, is in good position to capitalize on the southward shift of the Nation's dairying operations.

"Horticultural and specialized crops, and greenhouses, offer opportunities for farmers with expertise with these projects. These operations should receive added consideration, particularly from those with small farms.

"In addition to looking at "where" we can expand our agricultural economy we must also consider "how." The matters of labor and capital are paramount, and without management capabilities equal to the task, no expansion should be considered."

GUEST EDITORIAL—

They Want Back on the Farm

(The Christian Science Monitor)

As America's population urbanizes, its longing for the rural life gets stronger.

These two paradoxical trends were evident in the latest Gallup Poll on where Americans would most like to live. In the past four years, those wanting to escape cities or suburbs went up 6 percent. More than half the nation would now rather live in the country. It is also interesting that the number wanting to live in smaller towns held constant at 31

percent. Thus the entire 66 percent of the new would-be urban fliers would head for the out-country, mostly to farms.

This longing to live a rural life runs counter to the great migration from farm to city. During the past three decades, the United States farm population dropped from 30 million to fewer than 10 million.

Crowding, crime, discolored and distasteful water and air, which now denote urban life—these can but heighten men's longings for open space, for growing things.

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BUSINESS HERE AND HEREAFTER

HERBICIDE PRICE UP

Dow Chemical Co. increased its price of herbicides 2.4, 5-T Wednesday of last week. That was the same day the Federal Government banned the herbicide from use as a home weed killer. (The ban doesn't affect supplies already in hands of suppliers.) The government says the herbicide may cause birth defects in animals. Dow Chemical said possibly 90% of 2,4, 5-T is used for brush control, usually in such areas as ranges and utility rights-of-way, and therefore it isn't affected by the ban.

POSTAL INCREASE — The President's second recommendation for increasing postal rates proposes an increase of 50 percent for newspapers and magazines (second-class), but only a 33

percent increase for third-class mail, often referred to as "junk mail". The public orders second-class mail, but most third-class "junk mail" is sent to them without their ordering or requesting it — and most of it is thrown into wastepaper baskets.

LAKE CUMBERLAND STATE PARK is scheduled for improvements costing \$900,000, says Parks Director Jim Host. The project includes 10 log cabin-type cottages, a miniature golf course, laundrymat, additional picnic facilities and a multi-purpose building for small conventions and banquets.

FRANKFORT FIRM, Melson Contractors, Inc., has received a \$3,631,890 contract to build a state comprehensive vocational rehabilitation center at Thelma, near Paintsville. Total cost of the center is \$4.29 million, with Kentucky providing \$1 million, the rest being supplied by the federal government. The center will provide specialized training and treatment for 200 handicapped

persons housed in the facility.

STATE REVENUE COMMISSIONER James Luckett said his department, as empowered by law, may order property assessment increases this year in counties where property valuation standards fall short of the court-ordered 100 per cent level. It is too early, he said, to tell which counties will get the state-imposed increases, but recent figures show 51 per cent are liable unless their assessments have been raised since 1968.

BOYD CIRCUIT JUDGE J. GREENE ROBSON ruled that Ashland's third property tax increase violated the restrictions in the General Assembly's "rollback law." In declaring the 9.8 per cent boost illegal, the judge said the 1965 Legislature stipulated that local taxes could not be raised more than 10 per cent in each of the following two years. Ashland authorized its third increase in April, 1969, bringing the rate to 57 cents per \$100 valuation.

OIL PATCH

By HAROLD EKAS, Geologist
Kylachian Petroleum Surveys
White Oak, Ky., 41474

WEIR / CUYAHOGA SANDSTONE

Now with no break between or no more than five feet of shale we come to Weir Sand, a seemingly variable in several respects: For one I've seen three differentials in this pay to thickness—thins on highs; I've had from 10 feet to over 107 feet of Weir Sand in the area. Tendency to steal the oil back there being crevices some places in bottom of this sand. Has been and still is one of East Kentucky's best oil producers.

Now we come to the Sunbury Shale; either brown or black and a lot of times greasy with a show of oil. It runs from 8 to 40 feet in the area. Weir is generally a conate type sand. Some of the best wells I've seen have had some water.

Weir is even bedded argillaceous sandstones alternating shales, less shale and more sand under cover. Fractures well and shoots well, especially with tann shot. Du Pont EL explosives too to three quarts per foot of sand, according to hardness of the sand, more for harder, less for softer sands. Floods excellently by first gas cycling or repressuring and a bit later follow with water flood and don't pressure the well too high; give it time to readjust. Water goes all the way to low on structure then fills slowly, pushing oil up structure. Normally takes 2, 3, even 4 years for best results to show up after a flood is started.

In fracturing the Weir pay, a real good pay may break at 900 lbs., though normally it runs from 1100 to 2200 lbs.

Weir Sand is long lived producer, about the only way I can give a fair outline of this group of sands is to take them group wise as one or the other of the sands cutting out, even being replaced with limestones. They are all variables more or less. This for the first three sands—Boerner, Big Injun and Squaw—under:

2/3 of Elliott County.
1/6 of Carter County.
1/4 of Boyd County.
1/2 of Morgan County.
Under a very small portion of Wolfe County, probably even less than 1/10 of county.

1/2 of Owsley and Lee Counties.
1/3 of McCreary County.
1/10 of Pulaski County.

About 1/3 of Rockcastle County.
All of the counties from above outline eastward to West Virginia, southeast to Virginia, west to Tennessee, all in Eastern Kentucky area.

RED RIVER DAM DISPUTE RENEWED, THIS TIME OVER WATER LEVEL

LOUISVILLE, Ky.—The debate over the proposed dam on the Red River gorge in Powell County has taken a new twist—with conservationists and Army engineers arguing over the water level.

Army engineers appeared at a hearing Monday and presented their proposal for a permanent lake level of 700 to 710 feet above sea level, with a temporary flood stage of up to 760 feet.

Under the original plan successfully blocked by conservationists, the permanent lake level would have been 767 feet, inundating what conservationists called a unique natural area.

The hearing involved a new site for the dam, 5½ miles downstream from the Corps' original site. The original plan was blocked in a last-minute fight by persons who said the dam would destroy the unique scientific and esthetic value of the area. The conservationists were backed by Gov. Louie B. Nunn and Sen. John Sherman Cooper, R-Ky.

At the hearing, Engineer William Leegan said the 710-foot level would guarantee an adequate

supply of water to Lexington, Mount Sterling and other cities, while the 700-foot mark would provide only 65 per cent of the water needed by those cities by the year 2000.

But the chairman of the Cumberland chapter of the Sierra Club, William Holstein of Louisville, said, "The 700-foot is most desirable if there must be a dam at all."

"At this level the tailwaters would come up only to the concrete bridge, leaving the bottomlands of such valleys as Gladys Creek untouched by the permanent pool."

The dam is hoped to do three things—provide flood relief for Powell County; expand the water supply for Lexington and other cities; and create a public water recreation area.

The Corps of Engineers has a \$500,000 appropriation for planning work which is expected to last through the fiscal year ending June 30, 1971.

Col. John Rhett, director of the Corps' Ohio Basin District, said at the hearing that an independent ecological study of the area will be made by an out-of-state expert before any final decision is reached.

Now for the Weir Sand area: Under all of Greenup, Carter, Boyd, Elliott, Lawrence, Johnson.

1/2 of Morgan, Powell, Lee, Wolfe and Rowan Counties.
2/3 of Floyd and Menifee Counties.
1/3 of Perry and Lewis Counties.

1/2 of Knott County.

To Ohio on the north; to West Virginia on the east; and to Virginia in only one small area to the southeast.

Some strong evidence of secondary tilting of Weir Sand in the not too long ago.

Water lows do not conform with known structure in lower, older, rocks; oil close to gas in relation to lower rocks.

Seemingly Weir Sand oil had been on the larger structures, smaller domes being non-productive as to oil.

I have done a lot of research on Weir Sand and in some instances, or I should say, areas, acidizing will work on the pay due to some lime in the sand.

Next week: Sunbury Shale, Lower Waverlain - Kinderhook, Berea, and sometimes Bedford Sands.

The right viewpoint in life will make your burdens light.

PRISONER MOVED AFTER THREAT OF JAILBREAK

(The Ashland Independent)

Authorities in Elliott county, acting on information that a prisoner was to be taken from the Elliott County Jail, converged in a group on the courthouse Thursday night, stayed a while, then transferred the jail's lone prisoner to West Liberty for safekeeping before going home.

Taken to West Liberty was Albert Cline of Ashland, one of five men charged with armed robbery of Bill Gibson last summer. Mr. Gibson lives about four miles east of Sandy Hook on the Middle Fork Road.

After the courthouse closed Thursday, rumor seeped through the county that Cline was to be sprung from jail.

Jailer Everett Wright noted the front door to the courthouse had been jimmied the night before, rendering it unworkable.

In addition, a pair of mysterious motorists kept surveillance at the home of Sheriff Hersel Ison, apparently to determine his whereabouts.

Authorities learned four men from Ironton, Ohio were to perpetrate the jail break, according to County Judge Neeley Adkins, Jr., who ordered the transfer.

Be sure to check your home appliances and lights for frayed wires. If you find wires which should be repaired or replaced, be sure to do so immediately to avoid trouble before it happens.

Many Are Losing Social Security Benefits In Area

"We must stop the loss of disability benefits," Thomas B. Thompson, manager of the Ashland district social security office, said this week. Thompson explained that too many people in the Ashland district who are too disabled to work are not filing for benefits, and are actually losing the social security protection they have earned.

Benefits are lost because a person, unable to work, feels that he will be able to return to his job soon, thus he puts off contacting the social security office. "An individual should never do this," said Thompson, but "should inquire about disability benefits if he stays off the job for more than 30 days because of sickness or an injury."

Visit or call your nearest social security office for more information about disability benefits. The Ashland office is located at 1816 Carter Avenue, and the telephone number is 325-7666. The office is open Monday through Friday from 8:45 in the morning to 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Designated a regional depository for its documents by the U. S. government, the University of Kentucky library system offers an extensive collection of source materials, printed and manuscript, including runs of most scientific serials.

More than 2,500 new students are expected to enroll at the University of Kentucky for the 1970 fall semester.

BONNY
By Fay Ferguson
April 13 — Mr. Brackman from Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ferguson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ferguson and Ode Ferguson visited his daughter in Lexington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Manning celebrated their first wedding anniversary Friday, April 10.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Donna Ratliff of Exel and the family of Kade Wells of Menifee County.

I received word that one of my cousins in Ohio passed away. He was a very young man.

Mr. Kelly Lewis of Stacy Fork visited Mrs. Fannie Nipper recently.

Mr. Dorman Nipper and Mrs. Fannie Nipper visited the Perry Cemetery and sowed grass on Mr. Edgar Nippers grave.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ferguson and daughter visited the Church of God last week where Tracy Fannin was in a revival and enjoyed his good message.

1970 Grassy Lick Cemetery Assn. Dues Are Being Requested
The Grassy Lick Cemetery Association requests that all 1970 dues to be forwarded to Mr. Wallace Nickell, treasurer, as quickly as possible. Dues are \$4.00 per year. Mail checks to Mr. Wallace Nickell, Box 225, Route 1 Hazel Green, Ky. 41332.

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WEST LIBERTY, KY.

New York Firm Financing Deep Oil Probe In Elliott

Co. Prexy Predicts Sharp Increase In Ky. Deep Tests In '71

It was learned last week that the deep exploratory oil well being drilled at Stephens in eastern Elliott County is being financed by Monitor Petroleum Corp., an independent oil company with headquarters in New York City.

A letter to the editor of this newspaper, received last week from the firm's president, confirms much of what already has been reported and clears up some minor inaccuracies concerning the deep probe.

The letter follows—

Monitor Petroleum Corp.
521 Fifth Avenue
New York, N.Y. 10017
April 15, 1970

The Elliott County News
Courier Publishing Co.
West Liberty, Kentucky 41472

Attention: Mr. Earl Kinner

Dear Mr. Kinner:

Monitor Petroleum Corp. has made location and is preparing to drill a basement test on the Cecil Ison Lease, 8-27-70, Elliott County. The lease is part of an 18,000-acre unit in Elliott, Carter, and Lawrence Counties in which Monitor has entered into a Farmout Agreement with Ashland Oil, Sun Oil Company, and Pennzoil United Corp.

The deep exploratory well, one of two scheduled to be drilled in Eastern Kentucky by Monitor during the first half of 1970, will test the thick sequence of Middle and Lower Cambrian sediments postulated to exist on the downthrown side of a major basement fault.

The estimated total depth of the No. 1 Ison will be 8500 feet, and drilling time should be 45 to 60 days. The contractor whose rig will drill this well for Monitor is Slim Rea Drilling Company of London, Kentucky. Confirming earlier speculation this well will be drilled "tight." This simply means that pertinent geological information and results of tests will not generally be released until such time as the data has been put to its maximum use by Monitor.

Monitor Petroleum Corp. is an independent oil company with interests and production in Louisiana, Texas, New Mexico, Indiana and Kentucky. The District Office responsible for ex-

ploration in Eastern Kentucky is located in Owensboro.

Initial studies by Monitor of the large Eastern Cambrian Basin, now divided into the Michigan, Illinois, and Appalachian Basins, began in 1960. Monitor feels that a significant number of Kentucky wells will be drilled through the Cam-

brian in 1970, and a sharp increase in deep tests will follow in 1971. There is every reason to believe that major oil reserves of oil and gas will be created as a result of this increasing Cambrian exploration.

Yours very truly,
J. Donald Silberman
President

COUNTY AGENT'S NOTES—

DEMONSTRATIONS OF NEW WEEVIL RESISTANT ALFALFA SET IN MORGAN

BY DOUGLAS HOWARD
County Extension Agent

Alfalfa production may well be on the comeback in Kentucky. Alfalfa, known as the queen of the forage crop in terms of quality and yield, in recent years has taken a drastic decrease in acreage in the Eastern United States including Kentucky due to the alfalfa weevil. It may be that we are learning to live with the weevil, learning how to partially control it chemically and ultimately the answer may be resistant varieties.

Demonstrations of an acre of syn-W now known as weevilcheck were seeded with standard recommended varieties on the farm of Harold Rose, Ezel, and the Darrell

Pelfrey-Norman Sheets farm, Zag. This spring seedlings are being made in these same two farms of another weevil resistant variety, Teem. In addition to the test demonstrations of weevil resistant varieties Mr. Rose and Mr. Pelfrey are seedling additional acreage of standard recommended varieties.

Monday, April 27, these fields will be inspected by researchers and Extension specialists from the University of Kentucky and by the plant breeder who developed the new weevil resistant varieties, Dr. Robert Buker, Director, Farmers Forage Research Corporation. Dr. Bobby Pass, chairman of UK's Entomology Department; Dr. Rudy Scheibner, Extension Specialist in Entomology; Warren Thompson, UK Forage Specialist and perhaps others will be at the Harold Rose farm between 3:00 and 3:30 p.m., the afternoon of the 27th, and from there we will go to the Sheets-Pelfrey farm in Zag.

Those interested in learning to produce the highest quality forage as a step in increasing the livestock numbers in Morgan County may well learn from these men and the demonstrations. Doug Howard, Morgan County Extension Agent, encourages all interested to be present.

New Pipeline To Be Installed

FRENCHBURG, KY. — Kentucky Gas and Transmission Corp. plans to install 6.8 miles of 30-inch pipeline in Menifee and Montgomery counties to meet its growing requirements for natural gas. The new line will be laid parallel to the corporation's 14-inch and 20-inch lines and will enable the company to meet its service contracts to users in Cincinnati and Covington as well as Owingsville, Mt. Sterling and Carlisle. Contractor at \$1.4 million is Kenton Meadow Co. of Charleston, W. Va.

DR. GRANT RICE DIES AT AGE OF 97 YEARS

SALYERSVILLE, KY. — Dr. Grant Rice, of Oil Springs, a well known physician of the area, died Saturday of cancer. He was 97 and had practiced in this area most of his life. Burial was at Oil Springs.

There's proof that people who are everlastingly on the go seldom arrive anywhere.

PANEL PONDER'S ON FARM BILL

The federal farm program of voluntary controls and price supports for key farm commodities expires at the end of this year. And the House Agriculture Committee and the Nixon administration have been wrestling for months over a new bill but still have a long way to go, according to reports from Washington.

In February the Agriculture Committee sent Congress a draft of a bill which it termed a consensus. But it was blasted as "inadequate, unsound and dangerously political" by five major farm organizations. Since then the committee has been working on a three-year program to run from 1971 to 1973 rather than a permanent program.

Still unresolved are such issues as feed grains, wheat, cotton, land retirement, limitation on payments to any one farm, and whether to combine the food stamp program with work restrictions.

The committee, which began working on the package last June, has come to general terms on sections dealing with wool and dairy products, sale of surplus commodities abroad and the food stamp proposal.

At the moment, cotton seems to be the biggest hang-up.

There is no clear indication when all the pieces will fall together.

NIXON ASKS NEW POSTAGE HIKES

President Nixon last week proposed an alternate plan to Congress to increase postage rates to meet the pay increase granted postal employees after the recent strike.

Nixon first asked for a first class rate of 10 cents with increases of 12% for second class matter and 5% for third class mail (often referred to as "junk mail").

The alternate plan calls for an increase of first class mail to 8 cents per letter, and an increase of 30% for second class mail consisting of magazines and newspapers; and a 23% increase for third class "junk mail".

The new rate recommendations are figured to bring in \$1.5 billion additional postal revenue. This would be used to pay for the 6% pay increase, retroactive to Dec. 27, for all government employees and an additional 6% pay boost for postal workers alone upon enactment of a postal reorganization plan.

Congress resisted the 10¢ first class proposal, but it seems willing to pass the president's alternate plan.

A word to the wise is sufficient. Safety is the work. Many hidden hazards lie about the home. Take a safety check of your home, examining especially for electrical equipment, medicines, slippery rugs, fire hazards and the like.

J. D. ATKINSON, ATTORNEY, DIES

GREENUP, KY. — James D. Atkinson, 71, Greenup attorney, died in a hospital at Russell Tuesday. He had practiced law here since 1927. He was born at Stanton, the son of the late John D. and Lucy Donaldson Atkinson, and was a graduate of the University of Kentucky and a veteran of World War I. Surviving are the widow, Frances Halbert Atkinson, a son James D. Jr., and a daughter, Mrs. Nancy Warner of Baltimore; also three brothers, William, Robert and John of Stanton, and a sister, Mrs. Nancy A. Crow of Stanton.

Magoffin Native Dies In Wreck

Darryl Wayne Conley, 19, of Stanton and native of Magoffin county, was killed April 8 when his car struck a bridge on KY-15 a half mile south of Stanton. State Police said Conley was attempting to go around a car driven by Roger Dale Brewer of Stanton as they traveled south on KY-15 and that the Conley car was torn in half when it skidded into the side of a bridge that carries the Parkway over KY-15. Conley was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Conley of Stanton. He was born in Magoffin.

FAST TIME WILL RETURN APRIL 26

With the exception of three-exempted states, Kentucky, along with the rest of the nation will return to Daylight Saving Time Sunday, April 26. Citizens are reminded to turn their clocks and watches ahead one hour before retiring Saturday night, April 25.

SUPER HONOR ROLL AT MCHS

The Super Honors for the fourth six weeks at MCHS was released by Principal Richard Jett as follows. To achieve this standing the student must secure A's in all subjects.

Sixth Grade — Janie Sheets, Connie May Brent Cecil, George Bellamy, Mary Barber, Karen Hale, Larry Clay Collins, Evan Perkins.

Eighth Grade — Ranell Allen, Joan Amyx, Greer Cecil, Karen Easterling, Kent Nickell, Vici Quicksall, Earl Shaver, Gail Steele, Mark Walter.

Freshman — Linda Sue Allen, Alan Barber.

Sophomore — Judy Murray, Charlotte Haney, Diane Johnson, Joan Lacy.

Juniors — Kay Howard, Joe Pyffe, Lois Goodmaster, Sandra Fugate, Marilyn Nickell, Tommy Barber, Joe Benton, Larry Ben, Sheila Black, Lavanna Burchett.

Seniors — Connie Hale, Lynn Hunley, Dana Nickell, Arlie Smith, Steve Finch, Phillip Byrd, Mona Cantrell, Donna Collins, Linda Cottle, Connie Elam, Jerry Ferguson, Jerry Fugate.

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YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY

The Ashland social security office may be getting in touch with some of the miners and miners' widows who applied for the new black lung benefits to get additional information or to arrange for medical tests.

Thomas B. Thompson, social security district manager, said that the medical standards for determining whether a miner's disability or death resulted from black lung disease have been issued by the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare. He stated that this is a major step in carrying out the black lung benefit provisions of the Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969.

Steps have already been taken to obtain medical and other evidence from existing records, Thompson said, in order to help speed the processing of the claims. He emphasized that persons who have applied for the black lung benefits need not recontact the social security office unless asked to do so.

"All claims will be processed as rapidly as possible and applicants will be notified of the decision by the Bureau of Disability Insurance at Social Security Headquarters in Baltimore, where the final decisions are made," he said.

More than 130,000 persons have already requested these benefits through social security offices around the country. However, only about 165 requests have been filed here since December 30, 1969, when President Nixon signed the law providing the new benefits.

Benefits under the new law amount to \$136 a month for a miner or his widow. Payments are higher if there are dependents (wife or children), ranging up to a maximum of \$272 a month for a family of four or more. However, if a miner or his widow is getting workmen's compensation, unemployment compensation, or disability insurance benefits under State law, black lung benefits may be reduced in the amount being paid under these programs.

A miner or widow who is determined eligible will receive a check covering all the months back to the time he or she filed a request for black lung benefits. But no payment can be made for the time before a application is filed.

For this reason, it is important that anyone who might be eligible, but has not already requested benefits, contact the nearest social security office for help in applying. He can phone or write the office, or if it is more convenient, visit the office in person. A delay in applying for benefits in writing could cause some loss of payments.

Exams For Military Academies Are Set Perkins Announces

Washington, D. C. — Congressman Carl D. Perkins announces there will be a preliminary Civil Service examination on Tuesday, July 7, 1970, for young men who wish to be nominated for appointment next year to the United States Air Force, Military Academy, Naval, or Merchant Marine Academy. The examination will be repeated later in the year.

The purpose of the examination is to provide an objective testing method which will aid Congressman Perkins in the selection of candidates to the four academies. The tests will be given in Ashland, Hazard, Maysville, Paintsville, Pikeville, Lexington and Richmond as well as in other examining centers through the nation.

Any young man living in the 7th Congressional District who is interested in an academy appointment should notify Congressman Perkins, Room 2252 Rayburn Office Building, Washington, D. C. 20515.

NUNN PICKS REPUBLICAN BATH CO. JUDGE

Governor Louie B. Nunn has appointed R. C. Alexander as Judge of Bath County, following the death of Judge Claude Shurtluff last Wednesday in a Lexington hospital after a long illness.

Alexander, about 55, has long been a leader in the Republican Party in heavily Democratic Bath County.

Alexander will be County Judge until the elected successor qualifies after the November general election of next year.

The only stir some employees create in the business world is at the morning coffee break.

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RESIDENTS OF SALYERSVILLE JOIN HANDS TO HELP YOUNGSTER

SALYERSVILLE — For the second time in as many years, a Big Sandy community is moving to help a child return to a normal life.

This time the community is Salyersville. Residents have launched an intensive campaign to provide financial help for three-year-old Sonya Jill Whitaker.

The little girl faces a series of 50 or more operations that will hopefully give her the ability to speak.

Jill has suffered from "papillomatosis" or congenital polyps of the trachea since she was four months old.

She is presently receiving treatment at the Children's Hospital, in Columbus, Ohio, along with 12 other persons suffering from the rare defect.

Remembering the work of Paintsville Jaycees last year in raising \$25,000 to aid 15-year-old Keith Williamson in securing a kidney transplant, the family sent out an urgent call for help when it was discovered that the operations might aid the little girl.

Jill has undergone 30 operations already, including two on Easter weekend — each costing about \$300. She returns to the operating room again on April 19.

Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Whitaker, have learned

that Jill might be cured in a year if regular surgery is continued.

Mr. Whitaker, formerly employed at Ward Manufacturing, has been working part-time as a rural mail carrier since the factory closed at Salyersville.

The surgery is performed to remove small growths similar to warts that form in Jill's throat, blocking her breathing passage. Doctors have permanently inserted a tracheotomy tube in her larynx and connected it to a collar so that Jill might continue to breathe freely. In each operation, newly-formed polyps are removed.

Magoffin Jaycees have taken up the cause and on Easter weekend sold sandwiches and doughnuts while conducting an all-night coffee stop for the holiday travelers. The next day the group sponsored a traffic stop in Salyersville to solicit donations.

Both events were successful, but the receipts will only begin to care for the smiling, blue-eyed child who can't say "Thank you."

Anyone wishing to help with the Jill Whitaker fund may do so by sending contributions to The Magoffin County Jaycees, care of The Salyersville Independent, or directly to Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Whitaker, Box 173, Salyersville.

RED RIVER CANOE RACE TO HIGHLIGHT WEEKEND OF ACTIVITIES APRIL 23-26

Queen To Be Chosen April 23, and Upper Gorge Trip April 25

This year's fourth annual Red River Canoe Race is to be the official Kentucky Championship race for 1970.

To be held Sunday, April 26, the event will highlight a weekend of activities and festivities at Campton, Stanton and in the beautiful Red River Gorge.

Sponsoring the race are the Wolfe County Kiwanis Club, the Wolfe County and Powell County Jaycees, the Menifee County Lions Club, and the University of Kentucky Extension Service. Also providing financial assistance is the Region Ten Tourism Committee.

Another highlight of the weekend will be a sight-seeing trip through the rugged "Roughs of Red" in the upper gorge. This event, to be held Saturday, is being sponsored by the Wolfe County Kiwanis Club.

Koomer Ridge Camping Area at Pine Ridge will be the race headquarters.

A Red River Canoe Race Queen will be selected Thursday, April 23, at Stanton. The Wolfe County Kiwanis Club and the Wolfe County Jaycees are sponsoring entries.

The queen and runner-up will reign over the Canoe Race activities.

Orientation for the exploratory sightseeing trip through the upper gorge is set for Friday night, April 24, and orientation for the race is set for Saturday night, April 25, at the Koomer Ridge Camping Area.

There will be special mountain style music programs and color slides shown of the gorge and last year's activities during the orientation sessions.

All canoeists who plan to participate in the race are asked to register at the Koomer Ridge headquarters between 7 a. m. and 10 p. m. Saturday, April 25.

Canoeists who plan to participate in the sightseeing trip through the upper gorge will meet at the Gateway Restaurant in Campton at 9 a. m. Saturday and then proceed to the starting point at the Spradlin Bridge on KY-746.

This trip is recommended for experienced canoeists only, since the route, though uniquely beautiful, is extremely rugged.

Following completion of Sunday's race, a trophy dinner will be held at the Lions Club Park at Stanton. A fish fry will be provided for participants and fish will be on sale for spectators.

Walnut trophies will be awarded to each paddler finishing in the first, second, and third place canoe in each of the four classes: men, junior men, mixed men, and mixed tandem.

The purpose of the race is to encourage amateur sportsmanship and to promote the Red River Gorge area and the recreational use of all of Kentucky's scenic rivers.

For Saturday's upper gorge trip, specific duties have been assigned the following members of the Wolfe County Kiwanis Club:

E. E. Bach, guide to Spradlin Bridge; Registration, Earl May, Jr.; Orientation at Koomer Ridge, John Caudill and E. E. Bach; Radio Contact, J. E. Yeager; Sweep (follow-up boat) Mike Sutton, assisted by Danny Maddox; Ambulance on stand-by, Marvin Alexander; generator for lights, Herman Hull; tokens for participants, Holmes Bowman; Overall Exploratory Trip Chairman, Taylor Booth.

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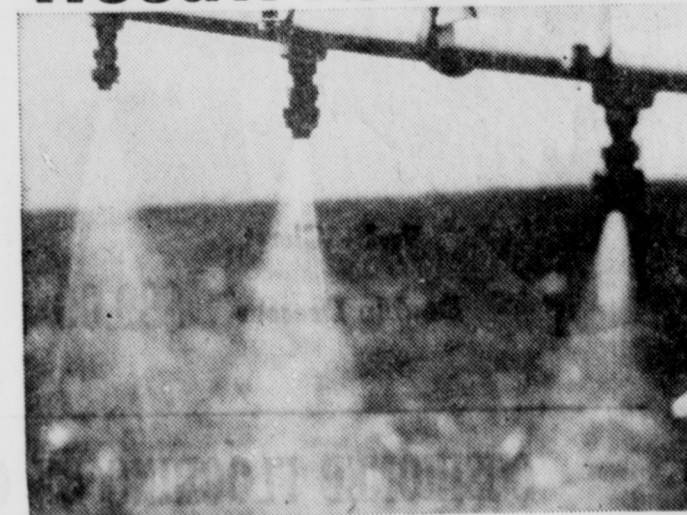
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EZEL

By Rose Henry

April 20 — Those from a distance attending Donna Jean Ratliff's funeral, were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ratliff of Lewisburg, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ratliff and Doreen and Willard Ratliff and Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Oliver of Middletown, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Yocum, Mrs. Marie Yocum, Merle Yocum, Warren Yocum, Wanda Yocum, and Mrs. Janice Hollen of Franklin, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Al Deskin and Chuck Easterling of Pikeville, and Darrell Easterling of Baltimore, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Ratliff of Centerville, Ohio, Rev. and Mrs. Oris Rupe and Arthur of Bellecenter, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. James Ray McGuire and family of Franklin, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Solt and family of Carroll, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Solt of Carroll, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Berey Stroller of Rio Grand, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald McGuire and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turner and James Brent of Louisville, Mr. and Mrs. Garrett McGuire of Detroit, Mich. and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hendricks of Florence, Ky.

A memorial fund in memory of Donna Jean Ratliff has been started by her schoolmates at Ezel High School with all contributions to be turned over to the Morgan County Hospital Fund. Persons wishing to contribute to the memorial fund should send their checks to Ezel High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Cutshaw and family of Cincinnati are visiting Mrs. Floyd Gillespie and Eula and Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Ross and family last weekend. Mrs. J. D. Ross of Middletown were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Ross and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ray Ross and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Ross and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carr were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Alexander of Mt. Washington Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edison Ratliff and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Ratliff Saturday and Sunday at Centerville, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Peyton and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ward, Saturday.

Mrs. Willie Lou Little of Xenia, Ohio have returned home after visiting a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Helton, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Havens, and Mrs. Clemma Stamper.

The Michael Hendricks of Florence spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Henry.

Jack Cochran was visiting in Dayton last week with Mr. and

Mrs. Charles Burton and Charlie, Jack and the Burtons went to Tennessee on a fishing trip. Mrs. Edna Patrick has returned home after spending the winter in Florida with Mr. and Mrs. Hise Tudor. On her way home, Mrs. Patrick stopped and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holbrook and son of Lexington and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tabor of Winchester.

Mrs. Terry Linkous and Mrs. Mildred Hobert of Dayton were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Salyers recently.

Mrs. Wm. A. Heagen and Ruthie were visiting Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Heagen of Fort Meade, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bach were visiting a few days in Ohio and Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Sanders and Berry of Knoxville were visiting Mrs. John Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rose and Johnny recently.

THIS IS RATED A BIG HEARTED COUNTY IN 1970

This county is one of 32 Kentucky counties which have been designed Big HEARTED Counties for 1970 for surpassing their record of the previous year in giving to the Kentucky Heart Fund.

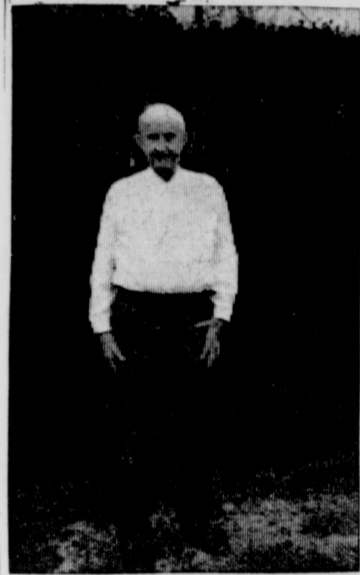
The list of Big HEARTED Counties includes these eastern Kentucky counties—Morgan, Elliott, Wolfe, Breathitt, Martin, Boyd, Knott, Montgomery, Rowan, Pike and Bell. Each of the 32 counties exceeded last year's giving to the Heart Fund.

Reported totals for this and nearby counties—Morgan, \$1,650.28; Mrs. James R. Perry, chairman; Elliott, \$183.38, Mrs. Pauline G. Adkins, chairman; Wolfe, \$272.16, Mrs. Rex Carter, chairman.

Former Gov. Edward T. Breathitt, state chairman of the Heart Fund Drive, announced the Big HEARTED Counties this week, and expressed his thanks to the workers.

ISONVILLE WOMAN DIES
SANDY HOOK, KY. Mrs. Amy Lester Mason, 78, of Isonville, died April 11 at her home. She was a daughter of Haron and Isabel Skaggs and was the wife of Jesse James Mason. Funeral was at Beach Grove Church.

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LEONIDAS MAYS

In remembrance of our dear, sweet Dad, Leonidas Mays, who would have been 87 years old April 17. He was a native of Elliott County, Kentucky where he resided all his life. He passed away January 30, 1970, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Roberta Neece, at Fairborn, Ohio.

A precious one from us is gone. A voice we loved is stilled. A place is vacant in our home. Which never can be filled. Some may think he is forgotten. Though on earth he is no more. But in memory he is with us. As always before.

Sadly missed by his wife, Bessie, and daughters.

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A FEW STILL GATHER WILD GREENS BUT THE NUMBER IS DWINDLING

By Nevyle Shackelford,
Staff Writer, UK College
of Agriculture

LEXINGTON, Ky. — In the early days of North American settlement, newcomers from Europe were amazed at the bewildering variety of potherbs (now known as wild salad) of which, even today, our meadows, woodlands, and streambanks produce in superabundance.

Despite food shortages, however, the colonials did not readily take to this available and nutritious food supply. They were unsure as to which of the unfamiliar plants were fit to eat and in this respect got little help from the Indian. Most Indians detested salad greens as heartily as the average young American male detests spinach today and usually would not eat them except as a last resort. Thus it was a long time before these pioneers learned how to cull wild greens from the field and forest as a supplement to their diet.

According to some historians, wild green gathering and eating originated at Boonesboro right here in Kentucky. After a long winter of deer meat, salt pork, and hominy, and with their systems desperately craving fresh vegetables, women of the fort out tending cattle, decided that they could also eat. So they started gathering these plants and found many of them appetizing and healthful.

At this time of year, even in these affluent times, a few country women carrying baskets and armed with paring knives, sally forth to look for wild

greens. But their numbers grow smaller with each succeeding year. This is not because people—especially farm people—have lost their taste for such humble fare, but because, as it was in the beginnings of these United States, many of the younger farm wives do not know what plants are fit to eat. They failed to get this knowledge while growing up.

And so, it seems, history has completed yet another cycle. There are dozens of edible wild plants, but the ones most commonly gathered now, and were first gathered by pioneer women, are upland cress, lamb's quarter, wild lettuce, dandelion, wild mustard, shepherd's purse, peppergrass, evening primrose, poke, broadleaf plantain, and purslane. All of these greens are considered as weeds and are easiest to identify. They are best as wild greens when picked early in the spring and prepared for the table by cooking in a pressure cooker or a covered skillet. As the spring advances, they become woody and unpalatable.

For more information on how to cook wild greens, it is suggested that those interested see their Home Demonstration Agent. To help identify these plants, procure Extension bulletin, "Weeds of the Southern United States," from your County Agent.

Wild greens are more than just a novelty dish. They are nourishing food and a very important wild resource. With populations increasing as they are, it is not unlikely that these wild plants may sometime be as eagerly sought as they were in the days of the early pioneer.

GRASSY CREEK

By LaNetta Scott
Phone 743-3940

April 21 — Mr. and Mrs. Justin Byrd and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Byrd and Lisa spent the weekend in Florida with Mrs. Byrd's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Gevedon and Lendean were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Long and Hughie of Campton.

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Gevedon spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gevedon and Alice.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blanton and Robie, Mrs. Helen Blanton and Lynn of Crittenden spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Mort Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kidd and Ralphie of Labanon, Ohio, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Elam.

Mr. and Mrs. Berlin Barker and Rose were the Saturday night and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Perry, Jr. of Twenty-Six.

Mrs. Anna Belle Gevedon was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mort Peyton and they attended the songfest at Lacy Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferguson were the Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Volney McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Tyffe of Louisville spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Chaney.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Wilson and family Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Juanita Ray of Buskirk, Jimmy Wages and Rita McLin of Morehead.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Centers of Morrow, Ohio, and Jimmy Little of Winchester visited Mrs. Ora Cundiff and Sol Eyrd over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Weddington and family of Sigel, Pa., spent the weekend with relatives in Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lawson and Greg of Dayton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Gevedon.

Mrs. Lillian Mulchey, Mrs. Emma Wilson, and Mrs. Sheila Mulchey attended church at Salem Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gevedon, Joan and Jeff were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Joe Gevedon.

Linda Nickell and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Miller of Richmond spent the week with Mrs. Ora Lee Nickell.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Bailey of Greear on the arrival of a son, born at the Central Baptist Hospital, Lexington, April 17. He weighed 4 lbs., 1 oz. and has been named Lee. The Baileys have another son, Stephen, age 19 months.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova Amyx of Grassy were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Beulah Amyx of Ezel. They were joined later by Mrs. Emma Hall of Lexington and Bill Murphy of Ezel.

We extend heart-felt sympathy to the families of Minnie Lou Havens, Ben Wright, Donna Jean Ratliff, Lennell Perry, and Elizabeth Weddington.

Mrs. Velma Holbrook was

the Saturday evening guest of Mrs. Victor Elam and family.

The Thursday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mort Walter were Rev. and Mrs. Russell Brown of Greear, Mrs. Nettie Gevedon and Mrs. Justine Gevedon of Grassy.

Mr. and Mrs. Berlin Barker and Rose and Mrs. Lee Barker and sons of Grassy were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Evans of Licking River.

Mrs. Elsie Lacy wishes to take this means to thank each and everyone of her friends, relatives, and neighbors for their visits, cards, and phone calls during her recent illness.

A special thanks to the Salem Quartet for their beautiful song.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Smith spent the weekend with Mrs. Grace Cecil.

Mrs. Malva Stacy, Frank Peyton and Richard Stacy of Grassy and Mrs. Joy Henson and Cliffie of Lexington spent Thursday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hollowell of Tyner, North Carolina.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross Jr. of Everett, Ky., on the arrival of a daughter born April 6 at Spencer Clinic. She weighed 6 lbs., 14 ozs. and has been named Nyla Jean. The Rosses have a son, James Woodrow, age 15 months.

Get well wishes to Wilma Smith, Edna Law, Wendell Gevedon, Volney McGuire, and Paul Gevedon.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Phipps and family during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Hager Phipps of Cannel City, Mrs. Marilyn Howard of West Liberty, and LaNetta and Jimmy Scott.

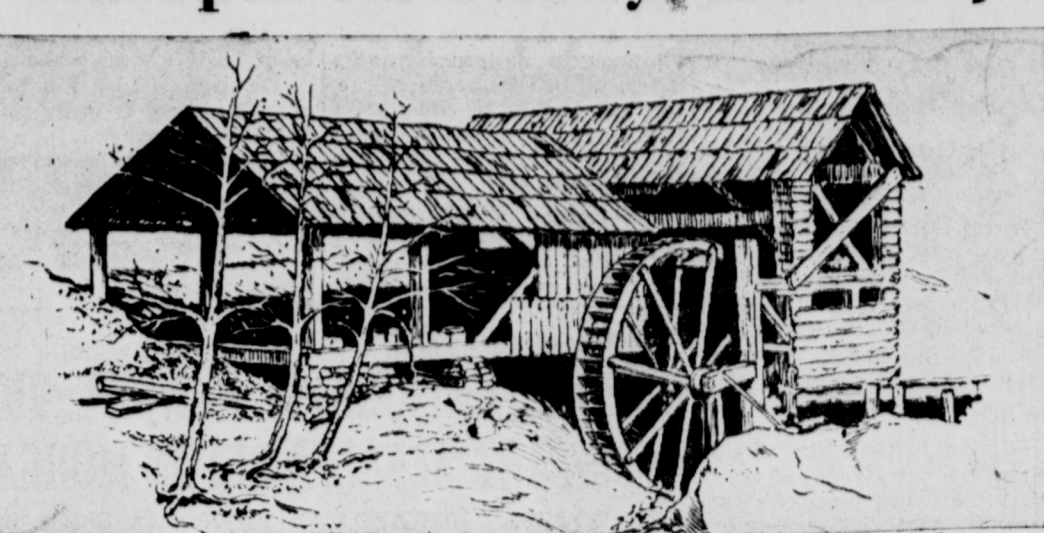
Mr. and Mrs. James Nickell and Jami of Dayton, Sandra Shields and Barbara Nickell of Eastern State College, Richmond spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Nickell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Chaney were the Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Raney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavell Nickell and family were the Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Osborne.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Braddom,

Grist Mill Was Important Enterprise In Early Kentucky



WATER MILL — In the early days of Kentucky settlement, a grist mill was usually the first business enterprise to become established in a community. This copy of an ancient photograph will give an idea of how most of these mills appeared.

BY NEVYLE SHACKELFORD
Staff Writer
UK College of Agriculture

CAMPTON, KY. — In the pioneer days of Kentucky settlement, millers ranked in importance with schoolteachers and preachers. Just as teaching and preaching required some skills in order to provide food for the mind and soul, so did milling which provided food for the stomach.

Actually in those early days, a miller outranked the teacher and preachers, but this, of course, was no reflection upon the worth of these two professions. It was more a matter of expediency. In its beginnings, a new settlement or community could get by for a time without a school or a church, but it could hardly go for long without bread.

As a consequence, when settlers set out for new lands, a miller and his millstones rode on the lead wagon or ox cart. Then upon reaching their destination, a site on a stream with a proper "fall" was selected and a mill erected.

One such mill once stood on the banks of Lower Devil's Creek some 15 miles south of here. It was originally built and operated around the mid-1800's by Uncle Billy Booth, formerly of Virginia, and common ancestor of many of the Booths now living in Lee and Wolfe counties.

This mill had an "overshot" wheel and was largely constructed of wood. Even the meshing gears that turned the ponderous millstones were made of wooden pegs fitted into wheels sawn from logs.

Grinding grain on such a mill was a slow process, but bread from the meal was of superior taste. There was little flavor-degenerating heat produced by the slowly turning granite burrs.

In the tradition of all other millers, Uncle Billy collected "toll" which was a small portion of every bushel of wheat or corn brought in. What part of this toll he didn't need for himself, he sold or bartered and was thus able to make a good living for himself and his family.

As related by Taylor Booth, one of Uncle Billy's numerous descendants, this old mill became an important meeting place for the community and shortly after its establishment, a church was erected on the creek banks nearby. It may have been pure coincidence which can explain everything while proving nothing, but at the time there were some who believed the church was a factor in the destruction of the mill.

According to Taylor, a few years after its establishment, a schism developed in the church—a separation so disruptive that the membership was split right down the middle. This brought dire warnings from outsiders that

Fam and Debby of Dayton spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross.

Mrs. Lula Stacy, Wonnies and Vernon were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haney of West Liberty.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Walter during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Walter and family of Hazel Green and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Walter and family of Grassy.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gevedon and family were the Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Gevedon and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Justia Byrd spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kester and family of Dayton.

Mrs. Elsie Beer, Eva and Bethel Raney of Frerchburg were the Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Raney.

Ruth, Kay, and Betty Nickell of Grassy and Debra, Carl and Billy Phipps of Payton spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Osborne of Payton.

Mrs. Lillie Peyton of Grassy is on an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Smith and family of South Bend, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Lacy visited Mrs. Millie Haney and Mrs. Lizzie Haney of West Liberty Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Amy Litton and son of Dayton spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Geneva Lumpkins. Mrs. Lumpkins returned home with her for a short visit.

a house divided could not stand, and sure enough it didn't. One warm night in the month of June of the year 1882, there was a flood on Lower Devil's Creek that washed away not only the church, but also Uncle Billy's grist mill.

Deprived of spiritual comfort and the ingredients for biscuit, cornpone, and johnnycake, the community was in a bad shape indeed, but the situation didn't last for long. The people immediately pitched in and helped Uncle Billy rebuild his mill, and research into the story leads to the belief that the religious disagreement resulted in two churches instead of one. The church houses, however, were erected this time on hilltops well above the high water line.

Uncle Billy's second mill lasted up until the turn of the century, but is gone now and only a few old timbers and a faded yellow, 60-year-old photograph remain as visual evidence of its existence. Some say, though, that on warm summer nights when the moon is down and whisperwills call from the timber, there can be heard low groans coming from the site—sounds such as are made by the turning of ungreased mill wheels.

But this, of course, is only imagination. Grist mills, as far as anyone knows, do not produce ghosts.

Wishes to Jerry Stacy and Wanda Harvey, who were married April 14 at Clinton, Va.

The Grassy Lick Home-makers met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frankie Barker. The lesson was "Lightening the Home". Salad, crackers, pie, and coffee were served to the following members: Anna Peyton, Kathryn Amyx, Erma Gevedon, Linda Henry, Justine Gevedon, Catherine Russell, Vivian Gevedon, Daisy Brown, Ida Elam and Nancy Ferguson.

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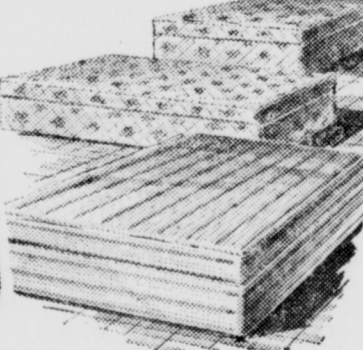
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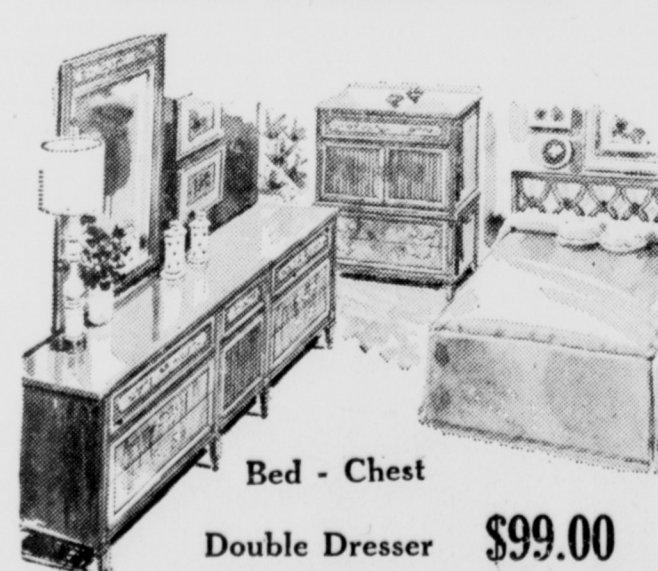


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April 20 — Tom Pelfrey took his record player and visited at the Allen Rest Home last Thursday. He played Gospel records for the residents of the home and all enjoyed the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Vinson Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Kennel Lewis visited Thursday night with Ruie Williams at the St. Claire Medical Center at Morehead. Mrs. Williams had surgery for ulcers and is getting along good at this writing.

Mike Mays, Danny Williams, and Darrell Humphrey, all of Ohio, spent Friday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Manford Williams.

Wheeler Johnson of Middletown, Ohio ate supper Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Steward Johnson.

Karen Easterling of Cottle spent Saturday night with Linda Conley.

Reb McClure bought a trailer and will be moving it to his farm in a few days.

Greg Kinner of West Liberty visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gilliam from Wednesday until Sunday. Other visitors Sunday were Herbert Haney and daughter, Fatty, of Xenia, Ohio, Curtis and Gary Lykins of Dayton, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kinner, Jr., of West Liberty.

There was a large crowd present at the song fest Saturday night at the Lacy Creek Baptist Church.

Those attending church Sunday at War Creek were Mr. and Mrs. Manford Williams, Rev. and Mrs. Arlie Nickell, Mr. and Mrs. Ova Pelfrey and Fawna. The Pelfreys ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tyree.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Nickell, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tingle and daughter and son, all of Portsmouth, Ohio visited over the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Nickell.

Those attending the songfest at Williams Creek Baptist Church Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Ova Pelfrey, Mr. and Mrs. Manford Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Bee Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Hart and son, and Mrs. Nora Cottle.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Claude McGuire and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Pack.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bradley and daughter of Ashland visited while Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Steward Johnson.

David Easterling of Cottle visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Haney and Greg Kinner.

Mrs. Douglas Lemasters and children visited Thursday and Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gilliam at Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Manford Williams have gone to Ohio to spend a few days with their children.

Deward Wheeler Johnson of Mason, Ohio called on his brother, Steward Johnson, and his sister, Anos Conley, Saturday.

Those visiting Dora Easterling and the Lemaster family over the weekend were Mrs. Pearl Johnson and son, James Herbert, Mrs. Ethel Mae Conley and children of Cow Branch, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson of Ft. Knox, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Gilliam of Fairborn, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gilliam and family of Crockett, Karen Easterling of Cottle, and the James Conley family.

The whip-poor-will is back. According to the old-timers, it is time to plant corn. Also Anos Conley reports she is looking for her sister-in-law, Verona Conley from Ohio to hear them.

Mary Susan Lemaster, Dora Easterling, Lovine Lemaster and children Mamie Tyree, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tyree visited Saturday afternoon with Miranda Easterling. Miranda was able for a tiny trip Saturday.

Victor and Anos took her in her wheel chair back to be a few minutes in her own apartment. She enjoyed the trip.

Victor and Anos Conley visited a short spell with Homer and Jean Elam and Myrtle Cox. Jean is improving since her two weeks stay in Good Samaritan Hospital.

It is hoped she will soon be well. Myrtle is also improved from a spell with her back that kept her in bed a week. Homer things his jogging to the shoe factory and back each morning is keeping him in top shape.

Billy Conley visited his parents and friends in Morgan County while he was on spring vacation from Ashland Vocational School. He had to return to his work Wednesday night. Other visitors with the James Conley family the past week have been Lula Hoskins, Robert Wayne and Karen of Dayton, Ohio Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Gilliam of Fairborn, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Johnson and children of Crockett, Lovine Lemaster and children, Jim P. Johnson, Dickie Williams, Karen Easterling, and Linda Mae Cottle.

Linda Conley spent Friday night with Karen Easterling at Cottle.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Conley and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Ferguson at Spaw Creek Sunday afternoon. They found Thurman feeling better.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Gilliam of Elamton visited Mr. and Mrs. Barry McGuire Saturday afternoon and Saturday night.

Barry McGuire and Donnie Gilliam attended Lodge Saturday night at West Liberty.

IN APPRECIATION

I wish to take this method to express my sincere appreciation to all those who were so kind and thoughtful during my recent stay in the hospital. Thank you so much for the visits, the flowers, the calls and the cards. They were a comfort and are deeply appreciated.

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BY GLADYS NICKELL

April 18 — Rev. Charles Roe of Lexington conducted an Easter sunrise service at Old Grassy Christian Church on Easter Sunday. A breakfast was prepared and served in the Fellowship Hall by the church ladies following the service.

A pot luck supper was enjoyed at Old Grassy Fellowship Hall last week with Rev. Jim Price of Ohio as guest. Mr. Price is a former pastor of the church.

Mrs. Leonard Havens is recuperating from major surgery which she submitted to at Morehead Medical Center and flu after she returned home.

Leonard Havens has been confined to bed with pneumonia. His daughter, Almeda, came down with flu while nursing them.

Ezra Bach has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McNabb at Staughn, Ind., Mr. McNabb has been quite ill.

Mrs. Lizzie Bach has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McNabb of Mt. Sterling. She is with Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Bach this month.

Mize Community Church members have been remodeling their church, putting up paneling and new cushioned pews. Their Sunday school is at 10 a.m., church at 10:30 a.m., and Sunday evening worship at 7 p.m.

Rev. Glen Graves of Consolation Church and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Taulbee and Susie Shockey attended the funeral of Dr. Lela G. McConnell at Mt. Carmel Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Deal and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Nickell and daughter, Regina, visited Mr. and Mrs. Everett L. Nickell and relatives here Easter week.

C. Woodford Cecil of Huntington, W. Va., his son, Robert, of Maryland, and Capt. and Mrs. Robert Thomas, Jr., of Augusta, Ga., were recent guests of Mae Cecil and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Fugate accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Glen Oldfield to Washington, D. C. recently to visit their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Dannie Fugate and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Earle Haney.

Johnny Fugate accompanied his friend on vacation to Florida during MSU spring vacation.

Mrs. Fred Bach, Martha Havens' mother from near Lee City, is visiting Mrs. Havens. Bernard Kidd, of Lebanon, Ohio visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kidd, enroute to Tennessee to take several weeks telephone training.

Ralph and Winless Kidd and family from Ohio visited the John Kidds Easter weekend, also Mr. and Mrs. Millard Allen and family.

KILLED IN OHIO

SANDY HOOK, KY — John Lewis, 44, of Springfield, O., and a native of Sandy Hook, was dead on arrival at a Springfield hospital last week of a gunshot wound which he received while trying to intervene in the shooting of Charles Smith in a Springfield cafe. He was a son of Mrs. Flora Lewis Fannin and was a veteran of World War II.

More people die from worry than work—so work harder and you'll have less time to worry for a loophole later.

LOWER COTTLE

BY BERT HAMMONDS

April 7 — Mr. and Mrs. Robert Caskey, Homer Elam and Bonnie Cox were visiting in Winchester and Lexington Sunday.

Our sympathy goes out to the families of Mr. Roy Hutchinson, Charlie Perry and Wright families.

We were very proud of our Homemakers Club Bake Sale Saturday in West Liberty. It brought the amount of \$70.00.

Mrs. Roe Collins and daughter spent one day last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Williams, at Dingus.

Mr. Tommy Phipps of Lexington and Chuck Cox of Winchester spent from Friday until Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. James Phipps and Bonnie Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Happy Cox came Sunday, spent the day with his mother and sister Mr. and Mrs. James Phipps and Bonnie Cox, and Chuck returned home with them Sunday night.

Our sympathy goes out to the Charlie Perry family whose son was killed in an accident, also to the Cottle family. Was sorry to hear about the death of Dewey Cottle.

Mr. H. B. Cottle of Ohio visited his family over the weekend.

Loretta Easterling from Ohio visited her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tom Easterling and purchased a new automobile while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Oney of Ashland were weekend guests of Mrs. Cassie Hammonds.

Ed Litteral of White Oak opened up the fish pond, here at Cottle. Seems to be quite a few fishing.

Those visiting Jim Tom Easterling Sunday were Mrs. Bonnie Centers and daughter from Toledo, Ohio, Nannie Kate Haney of Floress, Herman Oney and Bertie Hammonds, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tyree and family.

Mrs. Kate Arnett, Mrs. Henry Cottle and Sallie, and your writer were shopping in Grayson Thursday.

Mrs. Harold Hammonds of Lexington and children are visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Stacy of West Liberty.

Mrs. Kate Arnett of West Liberty was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cottle and Sallie on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Henry and Winford visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Allen at White Oak one evening this week.

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CANEY

By Astor Barker

April 20 — Mrs. Verna Napier, who died in a Mt. Sterling hospital, was brought here Sunday, April 12, for funeral at the Brushy Fork Baptist Church by Rev. Wardie Craft and B. T. Morris. Burial was in the Morris Cemetery with Potter Funeral home in charge. She was the daughter of the late Press Morris and Addie Elam Morris, who lived in this community for many years. Attending the funeral from a distance were: Curtis Morris, San Antonio, Texas, Mrs. Ella Taulbee and two daughters of Lakeview, Ohio, Mrs. Myrtle Cooper and Drexel Williams of Middletown, Ohio, Mrs. Myrtle Morris and her sister and husband of Morehead, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Benton and son of Fleming County, and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Taulbee of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Carmie Prater, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Prater, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Prater, Mr. and Mrs. George Allen and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heiler of Mt. Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Ferguson of Cincinnati were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Vance.

Darrell and Rhonda Barker of West Van Lear were Saturday night guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Astor Barker.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Prater and Mrs. Dena Williams and daughter, Betty, of Middletown, Ohio visited with their mother, Mrs. Louanna Burton, over the weekend.

Mrs. Nannie Perry is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Anna Helton, at West Liberty.

Rev. B. T. Morris attended church at Grape Creek Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Astor Barker and Mrs. Cora Barker were calling on Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dingus and Sarah Ann at Malone Sunday afternoon.

Hollie Oney of Jeffersonville is visiting his sister, Mrs. Hattie Coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Barker of Cincinnati were Friday night guests of Mrs. Cora Barker.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Fletcher were Mrs. Claudett Oberly and children, Bryan and Jeannie, of Enon, Ohio.

After visiting a month with her daughter, Mrs. Donnie Jasper of Dublin, Calif., Mrs. Homer Fletcher has returned home.

With so many women working today, the coffee break has practically replaced the gab session over the back fence.

PRATER RIDGE

By Elsie Richard

April 20 — Our sympathy goes to the families of Arthur Sorrell, Kelly Back, and Livenia Manning.

Kenny Lawson left Thursday for the service. He is stationed at Fort Knox.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenzie Lawson visited her grandfather who is seriously ill in Martin County.

Visiting the Denzil Goodpasters were Mr. and Mrs. George DeHavens of Germantown, Ohio, and Sherman Wells of Denniston.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Mann were in Lexington one day recently for Mrs. Mann to see her doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy McGuire and children of Ohio visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James McGuire, Sunday afternoon. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Byron Lewis of Murphy Fork.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rowland of West Liberty Route 1 visited Sunday afternoon with the Arnold Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Morrison and Becky of Johnson City Tennessee visited relatives here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Boyd and children of Middletown, Ohio visited the Arthur Sexton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Elpins, Flora Lovely, and Elsie Richard visited Harlen Lovely Monday at the Whispering Oaks Nursing Home in Salsersville.

Warrant Officer Cand. Completes Helicopter Pilot Course in Texas

FT. WOLTERS, Texas — Warrant Officer Candidate Gene A. Harper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harper, Route 3, West Liberty, Ky., completed a helicopter pilot course at the Army Primary Helicopter School, Ft. Wolters, Tex., March 18.

During the 16-week course, he was trained to fly Army helicopters and learned to use them in tactical maneuvers.

He next will undergo advanced flight training at the Army Aviation School, Ft. Rucker, Ala. Upon completion of advanced training he may be appointed a warrant officer.

WOC Harper entered the Army in August 1956 and was last stationed in Thailand.

His wife, Opal, lives in Cannel City, Ky.

The helicopter pilot course was completed March 13.

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CANNEL CITY

By Magdalene W. Phipps
Phone 743-3481

April 21 — Joe M. Conley, Jr., an employee of Lycoming Shoe Corp., of West Liberty, who submitted to surgery for ulcers a few days ago at the St. Claire Medical Center at Morehead, is home now and doing fine and wishes to thank these friends who donated blood to him: Clyde Vance, Pearl Conley, George Nickell, Junior Arnett, Jimmie Robinson, and to others who helped in any way.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernel Wright and Deana of New Carlisle, O., spent from Wednesday till Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Follen and Allen and Thealane Lacy of Heleehawa spent Saturday night and Sunday camping at Panbo Lake and caught some fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bach and two friends from Jackson stopped by for a chat with the Hager Phipps Sunday on their way to West Liberty. Mrs. Bach is a twin sister to your correspondent.

Mr. and Mrs. Hager Davis and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Vance and family at Cannel City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Patrick visited their son, Andy and family, at Lenox Sunday night.

Get well wishes go to Ronald Perkins, who is the VA Hospital at Lexington, and to James Zarnes, who is still in Central Baptist Hospital at Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Phipps and family moved into their new home last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hager Phipps visited his brother, James and family of Buskirk, and ate dinner with them.

Mrs. Hager Phipps and Mrs. Charlie Follen and Allen were in West Liberty Friday of last week on business.

Mrs. Geraldine Rice and Angela, Susie, Hager Kelly, and Lawrence and Miss Julia Mahill, all of Jackson spent Saturday night at the home of Mrs. Rice's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hager Phipps. They left Sunday morning in time to attend church.

Charles Follen is on the sick list. We hope for him a speedy recovery. He is a son-in-law of your correspondent.

The University of Kentucky Research Foundation received 398 awards during fiscal 1968, its twenty-third year of service. These awards totalled more than 12 million dollars.

N W RY. BUILDING SPIR INTO KENTUCKY

INER, KY. — The Norfolk & Western Railway has commenced work of constructing a 24 mile branch line into Martin county, Kentucky to serve new coal mines on Wolfe Creek and Rockcastle Creek. The project will entail building a bridge across the Tus Fork of Big Sandy. The project will cost an estimated \$22 million, and is to be completed in 1972. Democrat Congressman Carl Perkins of Kentucky and James Key of West Virginia were present when work on the project was started last week.

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HELP ME, PLEASE.

I wish to find one Curtis Maxey, son of the late Clarence and Nannie Maxey, formerly of West Liberty. It is very important to Curtis Maxey, so, anyone who knows his address or the address of his children, please write me at R. R. No. 8, Lees-town Pike, Lexington, Kentucky. My Thanks.

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BATH COUNTY JUDGE DIES

OWINGSVILLE, KY. — Bath County Judge Claude Shrout, 74, died last week. Ill health had forced him to appoint an acting judge two months ago. Shrout was elected to his sixth term in November and had been a judge 21 years. Earlier he had served as county clerk two terms.

ODDS & ENDS

BY EARL KINNER, JR.



ON LAUNCH PAD — Mark, 13, and Gregory Adkins, 2, wanted a tent and this is what their father gave them. The 14-foot rocket and launch pad was built by students at the West Virginia State Vocational Rehabilitation Center where their father, Robert J. Adkins, instructs a sheet metal class. The unusual red, white, and blue playhouse also serves as Gregory's birthday present. Mr. Adkins, who resides with his family at 5612 Virginia Ave. S. E. in Charleston, W. Va., is a native of Morgan County, a graduate of Morgan County High, and attended Morehead State College. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adkins of Route 3 West Liberty.

While on the subject of rockets, two Morgan Countians got a bird's eye view of Apollo

SALES REPORT Farmers Stock Yards FLEMINGSBURG, KY.

April 18 — HOGS — Receipts 173 — Packers 24.55, Sows 20.50 to 21.75, Stock Hogs 26.00 to 33.25, Sows and Pigs 95 to 176, Shoats 16 to 35 per hd.

CATTLE — Receipts 271 — Steers 24 to 32.50, Heifers 23 to 32.00, Baby Beefes 25.00 to 38.50, Cutter Cows 17 to 21.00, Fat Cows 22 to 24.30, Springers, Fresh Cows 169 to 260, Bulls 24 to 28.00, Stock Steers 27 to 37.50, Stock Heifers 24 to 32.50, Cows and Calves 190 to 297, Stock Bulls 160 to 260, Stockers 62 to 142.

CALVES — Receipts 162 — Top Veals 42.50, Medium 41.80, Others 35 to 47.00.

TOTAL Receipts 606. REMARKS: Lamb Sale and Show May 30, \$1000 in premiums.

DEHART

By Mary Allen

April 20 — Rev. and Mrs. Emil Allen of Franklin, Ohio spent from Friday until Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kernie Allen. While here he attended church at Lick Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Rudd and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Birchwell of Ezel spent Tuesday with the Allens. We enjoyed talking with them.

Sorry to hear of the death of Kenneth Peyton. Our sympathy goes to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dehovens and family were visiting last weekend in Fairborn, Ohio.

Alene Logan and son, Allan, of Hazard spent from Thursday until Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kernie Allen. Sunday dinner guests of the Allens were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Harvey and daughter, Jan, of Proctorville, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Herky Allen and sons, Kenny and Keith, of West Liberty, Alene and Allan Logan of Hazard, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harvey and daughters, Jean and Debbie.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harvey over the weekend was James Ray Harvey from Proctorville, Ohio. Loretta Dehovens and children were visiting the Harveys Saturday evening.

Sorry to hear of the death of Minnie Lou Havens. Our sympathy goes to the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Halsey of Pomphrey and Ruby Fugett of this place visited Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Gvedon Saturday night at Malone. Glad to hear Aunt Belle Gose is better. She will get to come home one day this week from the Morehead rest home.

GOLD...

(Continued from page one) a day could be gleaned, if the produce averages five ounces per ton.

Based on the Arizona laboratory test that same return could run as high as \$10,000 a day.

Though development and notice of the presence of ores has become public only since Jay Jordan's find of 1968, he recalls an uncle had been claiming the land was rich for over 20 years. "Lis Gillum argued with us years ago he'd found gold up in there, and you know what, people told him he was crazy."

SCS NOTES—

SCS Has 18 Requests For Conservation Jobs

Morgan County Soil Conservation District BY H. A. WALLACE
 The Morgan County Soil and Water Conservation District Board of Supervisors met in regular business meeting Monday. Four of the five members were present.

To date, we have received 18 requests for plans and surveys on conservation practices. Ten are for tile drainage systems; four for farm ponds; two for pipelines, and tanks for livestock water; one for spring development for livestock water, and one for grassed waterway.

We are getting to these jobs as quickly as time and personnel will permit.

Anyone having conservation problems can contact the district office and we will be happy to work with them. The phone number is 743-3552. Office hours are from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

STACY FORK

BY BEATRICE HARVEY
 April 13 — Miss Connie Foster spent last weekend with Jane Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fugett and Brent Nickell spent Monday thru Thursday with Mrs. Francis Hill and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Leach and Daniel, and Billy Fugett of Ohio spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fugett. Other visitors of the Fugetts during this weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harvey and Jane and Jean, Danny Joe Nickell, Paul Barker, Mrs. Francis Hill and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cletis Morris, and Mrs. Drotha Hunt. The Leachs also visited her mother, Mrs. Osa Nickell.

Billy Fugett of Ohio was Friday night guest of his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harvey and girls.

Misses Jane and Jean Harvey spent Saturday night and Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. Francis Hill and Jamie Mae and Jimmy Lee.

Get well wishes to my nephew, little Jimmy Lee Hill. Patti Phipps is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bronson Phipps and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Fields of Pikeville visited her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Arnett, last Sunday. Mrs. Beatrice Harvey and Jane also visited Mrs. Arnett.

Jane Harvey spent last weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Francis Hill and family.

Jane and Jean Harvey, Brent Nickell and Connie Foster visited Mr. and Mrs. Cletis Morris last Saturday evening. Sympathy goes out to the family of Minnie Havens.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hatten visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harvey and girls Sunday afternoon.

Eric and Ralph Hatten, students at HGA, are spending their spring vacation with their parents, the Elmer Hattens.

Sympathy is sent out to the family of Miss Donna Ratliff.

ELLIOTT SOLDIER IS LIEUTENANT COLNELL
 SANDY HOOK, KY. — Harold J. Fraley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Milt Fraley of Rt. 1 Sandy Hook, has been commissioned a lieutenant colonel in the U. S. Army.

A graduate of Eastern Kentucky University in 1956, he entered the Army the same year and served in Vietnam where he received the Silver Star, the Purple Heart and Army Commendation Medal. He is now at the General Staff College at Fort Lavenworth, Kansas.

A degree in Home Economics is an advantage to seeking employment with airlines.



These before and after photos illustrate some of the results of the Morgan County Home Repair Program for the Elderly and Disabled. Top photo shows the home of Troy Flannery at Grassy Creek before it was repaired by Operation mainstream and Concentrated Employment Program participants. Bottom photo was made after repairs were completed. Under the program, homeowners who qualify provide materials and CEP and Mainstream participants provide the labor. The program, funded by the federal Office of Economic Opportunity, is administered by the Northeast Area Development Council. Jesse Henry of Ezel is program supervisor.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that on or after the last publication of this notice we will sell a 1961 Ford car to pay storage and wrecker bill.

Litteral Wrecker Service West Liberty, Ky.

C-4-23-TF (Pub. April 23, 30, May 7).

NOTICE OF SALE

The undersigned will offer for sale at public auction at Conley and Chaney Service Garage, Buskirk, Ky. at 10:00 a.m. on April 27, 1970 that certain Auto repossessed from Arkell Hollon and more specifically described below. The undersigned reserves the right to bid and purchase at said sale.

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AT GUNPOINT

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